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The recent attempt on the life of Jefferson Caffery, U.S. Ambassador to Cuba, when gunmen fired into his Havana home, wounding a Cuban guard, has created intense excitement in official circles. President Roosevelt called a meeting of the Cuban Cabinet, and every resource of the government is being used to trace the would-be assassins.

ROOSEVELT BOARD AVERTS STRIKE
FULL CO-OPERATION NOW ANTICIPATED
INDUSTRIAL PEACE ERA

WASHINGTON, TO-DAY.
THE THREATENED STEEL STRIKE IN THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN AVERTED. A BOARD OF THREE HAS BEEN APPOINTED TO ARBITRATE THE DIFFERENCES. BOTH SIDES HAVE AGREED TO ACCEPT THE DECISIONS OF THE BOARD, WHICH HAS BEEN SELECTED BY PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

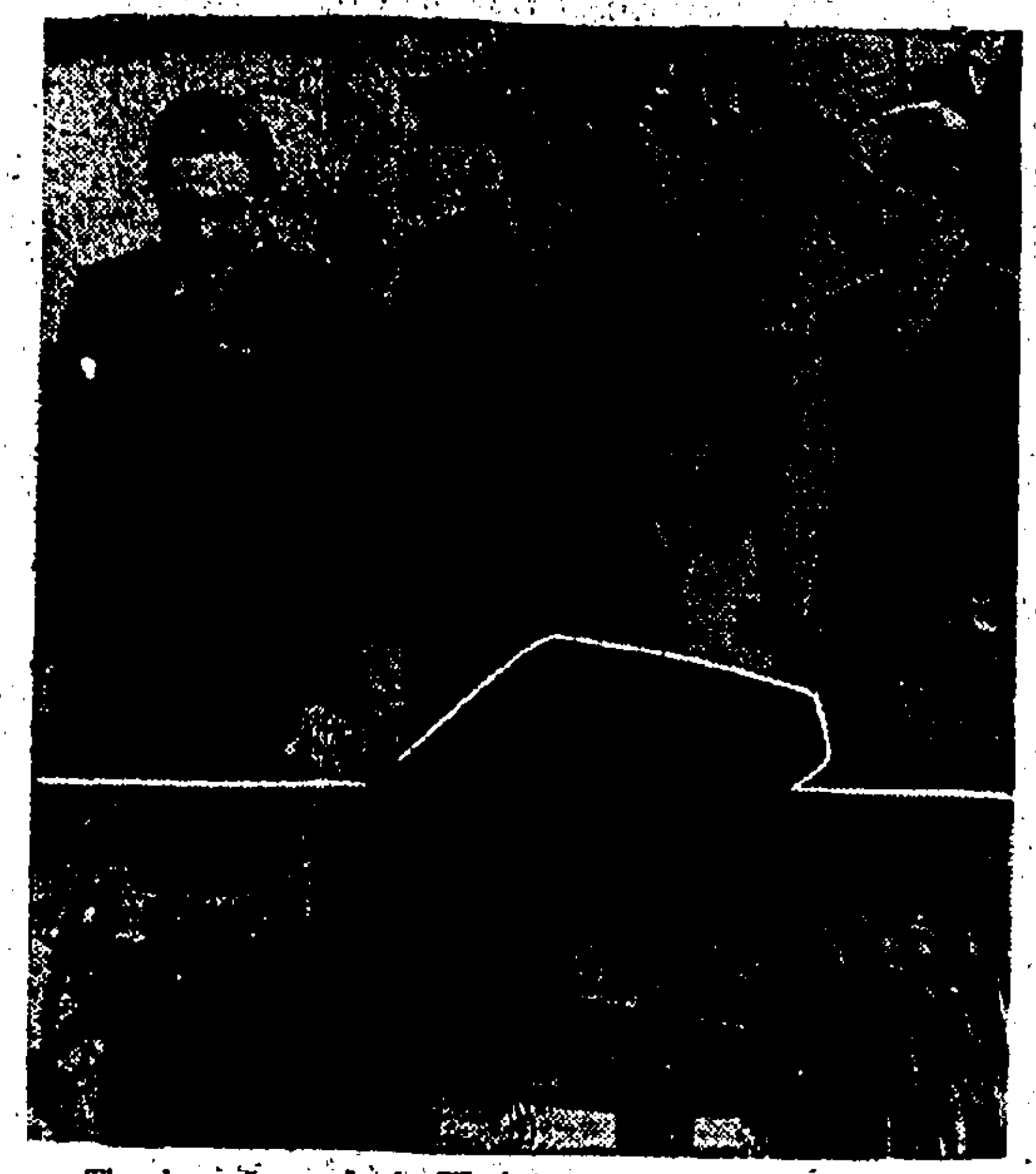
The steel agreement was negotiated by Miss Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labour, whose plan President Roosevelt approved.

The board consists of Judge Stacey, of North Carolina, retired Rear-Admiral H. E. Wiley, of New York, and Mr. James Mullenbach of Chicago.

President Roosevelt, in a statement declared that the board consisted of impartial men of thoroughly independent judgment, and fully empowered to act. The functions of the board will be limited to the labour relations in the iron and steel industry.

THE PRESIDENT ANTICIPATES THAT THE BOARD WILL SERVE TO MAINTAIN INDUSTRIAL PEACE WITH JUSTICE AND FURTHER THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SOUND STANDARDS OF LABOUR RELATIONS IN THIS IMPORTANT INDUSTRY.

HE CONFIDENTLY EXPECTS FULL CO-OPERATION ON BOTH SIDES.



The plane, "Leonardo da Vinci," in which George Pond and Cesare Sabelli attempted a flight from New York to Rome, shown at Lahinch, Ireland, where it was forced down by a broken fuel line. Above, the U.S. fliers, Pond (left) and Sabelli (right) with President Eamon De Valera, of the Irish Free State, during an official reception in Dublin.

PRESIDENT REVIEWS N.R.A. CAMPAIGN
RESTORING CONFIDENCE UNDER PEOPLE'S RULE
THREE SAFEGUARDING STEPS

Washington, To-day.
President Roosevelt, broadcasting to the nation for the first time since October, last night summed up the achievements of the recovery campaign and advanced the following questions:

"Are you better off than last year? Are your debts less burdensome? Is your bank-account more secure? Are working conditions better?"

He said that there was no doubt what the answers were.

The three steps in safeguarding national life were relief, recovery and reform and reconstruction.

These were necessary, firstly, owing to the paralysis caused by the mad chase for unearned riches in the past decade.

Secondly, because many of to-day's troubles were due to lack of understanding of the elementary principles of justice and fairness by leaders of business and finance.

Thirdly, by reason of the new conditions in economic life.

RUSSIAN DEBTS
FUNDING TO U.S. STALEMATE
NEGOTIATIONS AT WASHINGTON.

Washington, To-day.
It is learned that the negotiations for funding Russian debts to the United States have reached a stalemate in Moscow.

The negotiations are expected to be transferred to Washington where American officials believe that the atmosphere will prove more favourable.

Circles in touch with the negotiators, however, do not expect a settlement before the end of the Summer.

Rapid progress is reported to have been made towards an agreement on the capital amounts to be funded, but serious differences are said to have arisen on questions of rate of interest and methods of payment.—Reuter.

SHOWDOWN STALLED
NEW PLEA IN U.S. STRIKE
Workers Silent

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
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San Francisco, To-day.
The Mayor of San Francisco, Mr. Rossi, the Assistant Secretary of Labour, Mr. Edward McGrady, and the aged Mr. Andrew Furuseth, President of the Seamen's Union, yesterday pleaded to the joint strike committee to return immediately to work pending a settlement, pointing out that the Industrial Association had threatened, otherwise, forcibly to open the port yesterday afternoon.

The strikers remained silent, but they privately said that they would not return.

The industrialists were expected to postpone their showdown pending the efforts of President Roosevelt's committee consisting of Archbishop Edward J. Hanna, of San Francisco, Mr. O. K. Cushing, the San Francisco industrialists, and Mr. Edward McGrady.

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Street Car Service Wrecked.

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1891, Received June 29, 6.43 a.m.)

Milwaukee, To-day.
A crowd of 15,000 strike sympathisers yesterday wrecked four street cars and forced the cancellation of all services.

Fourteen people were injured and 20 imprisoned. Tear-gas was used to rout the rioters.

The strike, involving the city's utility workers, was declared yesterday morning. Electric power is being supplied only to the hospitals, the police, and the fire brigade.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

The Traction Service was partly sabotaged by the rioters who forced the abandonment of the city-inter-urban service.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

HAWAIIAN SUGAR SITUATION.
Quota Test Prepared.

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Washington, To-day.
Mr. Royal D. Mead, representative of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association, has announced that the Association is preparing to test the constitutional strength of the Costigan Jones Act and the quotas allotted thereunder.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Co.

AMERICAN SILVER ORDER

ARMS GUARANTEES AND EXECUTION HELD UP
Committee Resolves to Adjourn Until Autumn

Geneva, To-day.
The Committee of the Disarmament Conference dealing with guarantees and execution has decided, in view of the diplomatic situation, that the Committee could do no more useful work at present. It will meet again in the Autumn.—Reuter.

NO EXPORTS SIMILAR TO GOLD EMBARGO
NEW LICENSING SYSTEM.

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1891, Received June 29, 10.08 a.m.)

Washington, To-day.
The United States Treasury, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, has issued an order forbidding silver exports, similar to last year's gold embargo.

He has created a licensing system permitting shipments to meet legitimate obligations contracted prior to the issuance of the order.

The order provides that silver in a fabricated or manufactured form can be freely exported under license. The provided licenses are issuable upon proof that the silver will be exported.

Firstly, to fulfill an obligation incurred prior to the order.

Secondly, that it has been owned continuously since a date prior to the order by a recognised foreign Government, foreign central bank, or by the Bank of International Settlements.

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Revised Import Tariff
"Luxuries" Increased Necessities Down.

Nanking, To-day.
While official circles are very reticent over the details of the revised import tariff, it is learned from reliable sources that the tariff has been increased on "luxuries" and reduced on "necessities."

Among the articles on which the tariff has been reduced, are understood to be cotton goods, and fisheries and sea products, whose import tariff is reduced to about 5 per cent.

The existing tariff is 30 per cent, and the revised tariff 25 per cent.—Reuter.

POND AND SABELLI TALK WITH POPE
His Holiness Intensely Interested.
FUTURE FLIGHTS BLESSED

Vatican City, To-day.
His Holiness the Pope yesterday received in audience the trans-Atlantic flyers, Captain Pond and Lieut. Sabelli. He listened with interest to details of their flight from New York to Ireland where they were forced down while attempting to set a new long-distance flight record.

When His Holiness heard that they proposed to return from Berlin to New York, he blessed all their projects.—Reuter.

DE VALERA PULLS LEVEL
Stalemate Inevitable In I.F.S. Elections.

Dublin, To-day.
A stalemate appears inevitable in the local Irish Free State elections. The Fianna Fail (Mr. Eamon De Valera) and the United Ireland Party (General O'Duffy) are almost neck and neck.

A significant feature is the success of the Independent Party, particularly in urban districts. From this it is inferred that many electors prefer to keep local affairs apart from Party politics. In any event, neither of the principal parties will be able to claim a decisive verdict on the Government's agricultural policy and the continuance of the economic war, which were made the Cardinal Issues.

Political circles in Dublin are discussing the possibility of Mr. De Valera going to the country to seek a verdict on a wider Parliamentary franchise.—Reuter.

MISPLACED ONUS
OUTSPOKEN NOTE TO GERMANY
DISCOURAGING TRADE.

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1891, Received June 29, 5.10 a.m.)

Washington, To-day.
The United States Secretary of State, Mr. William Cordell Hull, has sent a note to Germany describing the latter's explanations of the moratorium as "a distinctly inadequate approach to the problem," namely, an attempt to make the creditor responsible for a situation in which the debtor could pay her obligations.

DISCOURAGING TRADE

He suggested that the German political policies tended to discourage trade, and stimulated the withdrawal of foreign credit from Germany.

He called attention to the belief that Germany utilized balances to re-purchase her own bonds and to purchase military materials, when such funds should have been used for servicing debts.

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TOBACCO CONTROL BILL SIGNED.

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
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Washington, To-day.
President Roosevelt has signed the Tobacco Control Bill.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

STOP PRESS

The Panchan Lama will leave for Nanking this evening.—Reuter.

Marie Dressler May Win Out
Famous Film Star's Condition Grave.
NATIONWIDE CONCERN

Santa Barbara, To-day.
The condition of the famous film star, Miss Marie Dressler, who is lying ill here, is critical, but doctors hold the opinion that her strong will will enable her to pull through.

Messages of sympathy and enquiry are pouring into California from every state in America.

Miss Dressler is suffering from acute kidney and heart trouble and has weakened considerably during the past few days.—Reuter.

HEAT WAVE DAMAGES CROPS IN AMERICA

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Chicago, To-day.
The drought-stricken crops in the mid-western States are suffering additional damage from an extreme heat wave.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

AERIAL DEFENCE FOR CANTON

Corps Organisation In Hand.
50 PLANES FROM AMERICA

[From Our Own Correspondent] Canton, To-day.
To protect Canton against air raids, the First Group Army has decided to organize an aerial defence corps, and Brigadier-General The Ying-pah has been offered the post as Commandant, in view of his recent studies of air defence in Europe.

In addition, there will probably be an air defence committee to assist the Commandant. These committee members will be mostly civilians who have a study of the text books on the subject.

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Canton-Kowloon Railway
Director Faces Bitter Criticism

[From Our Own Correspondent] Canton, To-day.
Efforts to oust Mr. Hu Tung-chao as acting managing director of the Canton-Kowloon Railway, by the special Kuomintang organ of the railway, have been strengthened by a manifesto issued by the Workers' Union of the same railway, which charges Mr. Hu for putting his relatives into the service and degrading those who have worked efficiently for many years.

Ching a concrete case, the workers' manifesto states that a chief correspondence clerk who has worked in the railway for 20 years, has suffered a reduction in salary from \$240 to \$165 a month without cause. Mr. Hu is charged with employing relatives of the same family name "at the expense of the old hands."

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LOCAL RAINFALL

The local rainfall recorded at the Royal Observatory for the 24 hours ended 10 a.m. to-day was 0.19 inch, bringing the total since January 1 to 59.76 inches, as compared with a normal average of 57.45 inches.

MAIL SCHEDULES

INWARD MAILS.

FROM EUROPE

FROM JAPAN	June
Kaisar-I-Hind	29
Empress of Russia	4
Africa Maru	5
Pres. Coolidge	5
Brisbane Maru	5
Behar	6
Katori Maru	6

FROM AMERICA & CANADA	June
Empress of Russia	4
Pres. Coolidge	5

FROM MANILA

FROM SHANGHAI	June
Kaisar-I-Hind	29
Chinba	29
Sociology	29
Dardanus	1
Jean Laborde	1
Empress of Russia	4
Sarpodon	4
Pres. Coolidge	5
Behar	5
Katori Maru	6

FROM STRAITS

FROM AUSTRALIA	June
Hakodate Maru	29
Helena	30
Hosang (Air Mail ex Imperial)	2
Airways Service	2
Agapenor	3
Gange	5
Hakone Maru	6

FROM AUSTRALIA

OUTWARD MAILS.	June
Emp. of Canada (via Siberia)	29
Closes: Reg. 9.15 a.m. Ord. 9 a.m.	
Kaisar-I-Hind (Air Mail Service)	29
Change	30
Jean Laborde (via Marseilles, Air Mail Service)	30
Closes: Reg. 10 a.m. Ord. 10.30 a.m.	
President Lincoln (via Siberia)	30
Closes: Reg. 3 p.m. Ord. 4.15 p.m.	

FOR EUROPE

FOR JAPAN	June
Empress of Canada	29
Felix Roussel	29
President Lincoln	30
Africa Maru	30

FOR MANILA

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA	June
Empress of Canada	29
President Lincoln	30
Gange	30

FOR SHANGHAI

FOR STRAITS & INDIA	June
Kaisar-I-Hind	29
Jean Laborde	30
Sarpodon	30

FOR AUSTRALIA

Nankin	
Changto	
Brisbane Maru	

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The Woman's Page

SUMMER FOOT COMFORT

Walk Before Trying On New Shoes.

CORRECT SIZE IN STOCKINGS NECESSARY

New York. The right home treatments and shoes that actually fit are two factors which insure summer foot comfort.

When you set out to buy new sports, street and evening shoes for the hot months, go to a salesman who will measure your feet instead of getting your size from the shoes which you're already wearing. When buying street shoes, it's a good idea to walk a mile before you go in to try them on. Your feet swell a trifle after a long walk in hot weather and if you buy shoes while they're in that condition, the new shoes always will be comfortable no matter how long you have them on or how far you walk.

Sports Shoes Larger Sports shoes usually come in wider widths than street models. In that case, you can get them a half size shorter than you generally wear.

However, remember that most women need all shoes a half size larger during the summer months. In other words, don't buy shoes until your feet have been accurately measured.



Jeolopans are becoming more and more popular for their lightness and smart lines. "Bette Davis, screen star, completes her riding outfit with a dark red jersey and a dark red felt hat."

Pastel Colours Distinctive

Summer Collection By Molyneux.

OSTRICH FEATHERS ONCE MORE

Paris. Captain Edward Molyneux designs always with a practiced hand upon the pulse of feminine impulse. He knows the love of masquerade that holds so many women in its clutches, and so in his mid-season collection he remains faithful to the Chinese influence which distinguished so many of the most successful models in his last showing.

An evening ensemble of purple blue taffeta that looks more than ever like a Chinese print is typical.

The gown is fitted through the hips and thighs and contrasts pleasingly with the loose flare of the matching coat which is built on kimono lines.

The magyar or Chinese yoke, cut in one with the sleeves, prevails throughout daytime dresses.

Ostrich Feathers

Another weakness of the feminine heart is ostrich plumes. It is an art to use them lavishly, yet with discretion—to make their wearers look like grandes dames, and not vaudeville actresses—an art with which Molyneux is thoroughly familiar.

For instance, there is a gown of water blue crepe with which is worn a boa wrap made of ostrich fronds in the same light blue mixed with a few black fronds.

And there is another gown of Nils green crepe, simple and untrimmed, but made very elegant by its five-eighths length cape of long ostrich feather fronds in the same delicate green.

It Is An Art

It is an art, too, to make pastel colours distinctive, and this also is achieved in this collection, where pale pastel and white crepe evening gowns are made most simply and distinguished by crepe facings around the hemline in lovely colours darker than the dresses.

A new material is an artificial taffeta which is shown in big checks, irregular plaids, and cross-barred effects, and used either alone or in contrast with plain coloured fabrics.

BRIGHTENING LEATHER BELTS

If your leather belt is shabby give it a coat of leather-lacquer, which can be had in a large range of shades and is useful for many household purposes.



BRASSO GIVES A BRIGHTER SHINE TO LEATHER AND COPPER

SUMMER WARDROBE FOR 1934

Novel Suits For Seaside.

The woman who is planning an inexpensive summer wardrobe will be interested in the new artificial crepes de Chine. They are guaranteed not only uncrushable but washable, and are made in attractive floral designs. A little frock of this crepe can be run up very cheaply.

For her, too, is the new material made to look like linen, intended for tennis and beach dresses which have to stand lots of hard wear.

Clings Like Skin The woman who is either over or under the average height will rejoice in the new stockings made on special looms. These can be obtained extra long for long-legged people, and just the right length for the shorter woman.

There are some novel suits for the seaside—a triangular "handkerchief" top in plain blue wool and separate blue-and-white checked wool-trunks, for instance.

Dull turquoise is the new colour for "scanties," and woven silk lace the latest material. It is made so that it clings like a second skin and lies smoothly beneath the new close-fitting dresses.

SHORT SLEEVES THE RULE

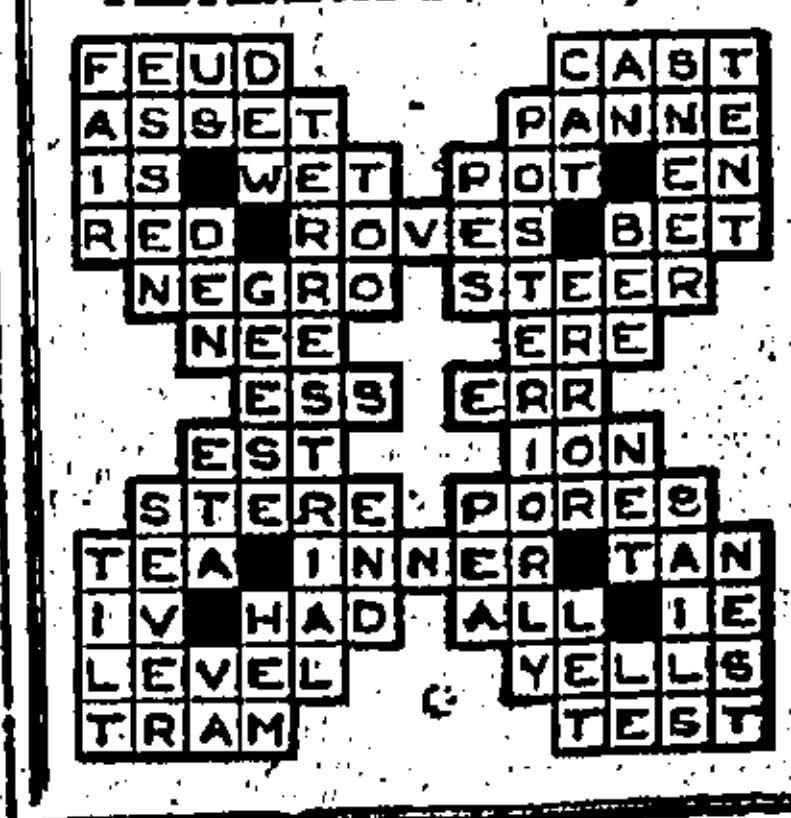
Skirts are slim, with trim hip-lines and inverted pleats both front and back. Short sleeves are the rule, of course.



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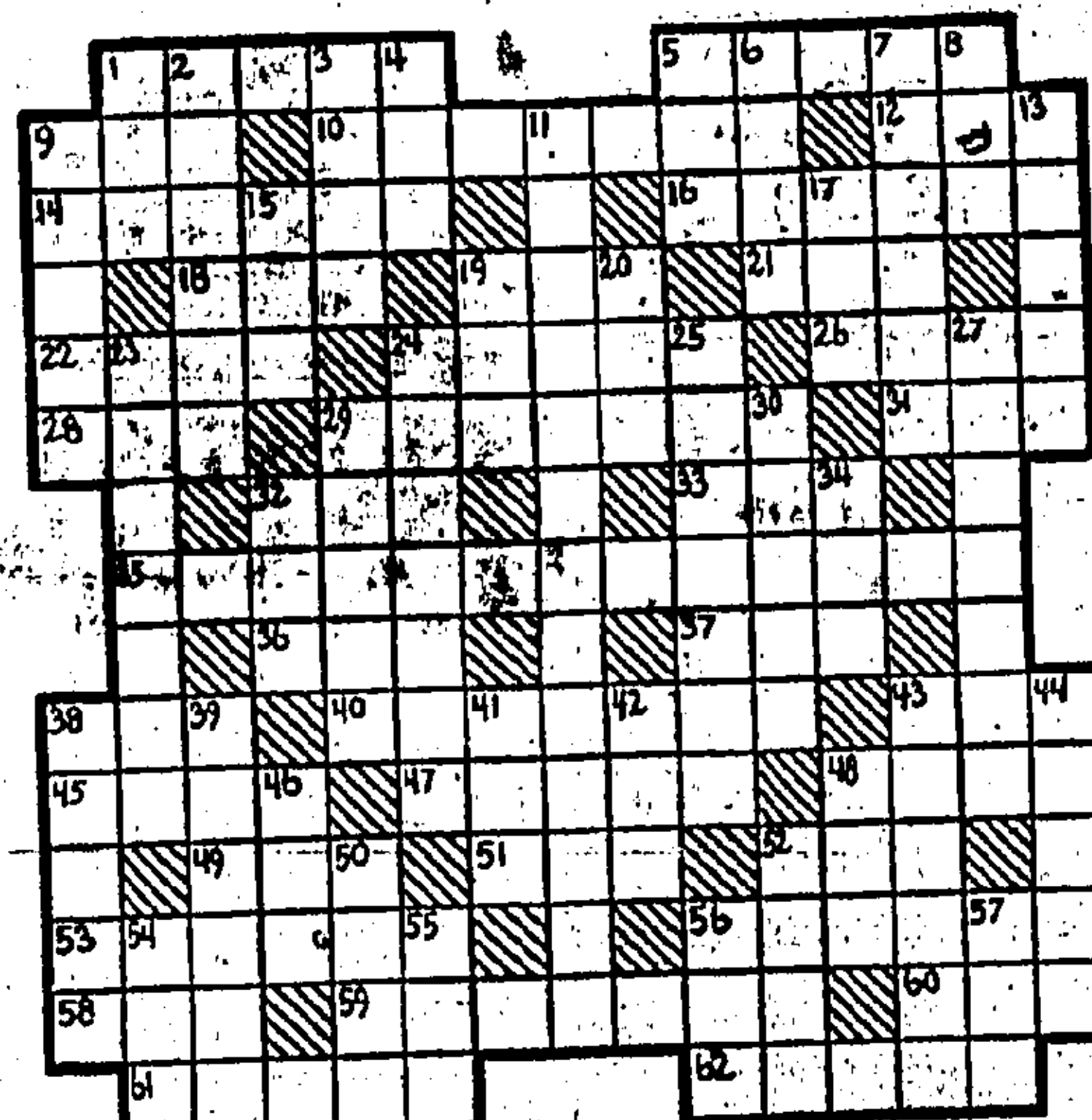
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and alike.



HORIZONTAL

- 1-Celebrated
- 5-Make amends for
- 9-A wager
- 10-Sends back
- 12-Metric land measure
- 14-Hold
- 16-A large animal of South America (pl.)
- 18-A letter
- 19-A cutting tool
- 21-Religion (abbr.)
- 22-Tavern
- 24-Frozen rain
- 26-Existed
- 28-Sow the head
- 29-Absence of a heart (Terat.)
- 31-A title (Sp.)
- 32-Epoch
- 33-Attempt
- 35-Intentions
- 36-Society girl (Colloq.)
- 37-Water (Fr.)
- 38-Permit
- 40-Directors
- 42-Foot-like organ
- 45-Large continent
- 47-Musical instrument (pl.)

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 48-Traversed in a vehicle
- 49-To cut off the edge of a coin
- 51-Macauline (abbr.)
- 52-Small rug
- 53-More sorrowful
- 55-Craved
- 56-Before
- 58-Measured by a meter
- 60-A naval officer (abbr.)
- 61-Look of hair
- 62-Earth (Fr.)

VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 15-Farm animal
- 17-Seat in church
- 19-S. State of United States (abbr.)
- 20-A letter
- 23-Strips of dried dough for soup
- 24-Formed a scab
- 25-Glitter
- 27-Cooked in an oven
- 28-Spirit of the air
- 30-Metals
- 32-Old age (Post.)
- 34-Pronged
- 36-Pass, as time
- 38-A highly inflammable substance
- 41-Part of the body
- 42-A printer's measure (pl.)
- 43-One who makes earthenware
- 44-Planis
- 46-Help
- 48-Moved rapidly
- 50-Precious stones
- 52-Constructed
- 54-Skill
- 55-Residence (abbr.)
- 56-Full of moisture
- 57-Point of compass (abbr.)

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

Bringing Up Father.



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Mountain Lodge	1,724
The Pyramids	1,724
Peak Hotel	1,800
Tai Koo Sanatorium	1,000
Mt. Davis	877
Bowen Road (Starbuck)	397
Mainland	Feet
Tai Mo Shan	5,154
Kowloon Peak	1,971

BRIDGE NOTES

Accurate Bidding.

by Ely Culbertson.

Bidding at Contract Bridge has become pretty much of an exact science. Through the use of bids approved by practice, a partnership is able to exchange information and determine with almost marvelous precision the best contract in the combined hands, whether that contract is a Slam, a game or only a part-score.

The player at the Bridge table should be alert in drawing inferences from every bid made by his partner. Overcalls of his opponents are eloquent, and it is not difficult generally to detect whether such overcalls are based on substantial values or are merely "whistling down the wind" in an effort to prevent the other side from reaching the best contract.

When there is no adverse bidding with a hand of at all normal distribution, there is little excuse for the partnership failing to reach makable games or Slams, and even less for attempting unmarkable Slams.

A hand which illustrates the precise exchange of information between partners in reaching a Grand Slam contract is the following:

North, Dealer. Neither side vulnerable.

North—S-A J 6
H-K
D-K Q J 9 8
C-8 5 3 2

West—S-10 7 3
H-8 5 4 2
D-7 4
C-Q J 9 4

East—S-9 5 4 2
H-10 9 7 3
D-10 5 2
C-K 7

South—S-K Q 8
H-A Q J 6
D-A 6 3
C-A 10 6

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs).

North East South West
1D Pass 2H (1) Pass
3D (2) Pass 4NT (3) Pass
5NT (4) Pass 7NT (5) Pass
Pass Pass

1—A sound Force — South is ready to play three notrump if his partner can offer nothing else.

2—About the minimum Rebid allowed, but better than three notrump, as the hand has a King and a Knave over its minimum Opening strength; and is decidedly a suit pattern. South can still bid three notrump if he wants to.

3—The Rebid of diamonds without the Ace makes the hand safe enough to suggest a Slam, so South tries out the Four-Five Notrump Convention, telling his partner he holds either two Aces and the King of a bid suit or three Aces.

4—Having the Kings of the only suits that have been bid, North can read South for three Aces, and having the fourth Ace himself, bids five notrump.

5—The spade Ace, heart King and diamond King are now located in North's hand, making seven solid tricks in the majors, and if there are not at least five solid tricks in diamonds, there will be a play for a drop or finesse if the Rebid was made on six or seven to the King-Knave or King-Ten.

It is possible, moreover, that North has enough in clubs to prevent a disastrous set if the diamonds should go wrong, after the probable club Opening forces out the Ace. The Grand Slam at notrump is therefore an excellent bet and eliminates the possibility of a first round ruff setting a seven diamond contract.

West leads the club Queen. South wins with the Ace and leads a low diamond to leave a diamond either way if on an adverse holding. All Aves. — When both follow, the hand is spread.

AUSTRALIA'S NEW INDUSTRY

Reasonable Prospect For Coal-Oil Plant.

ADEQUATE PROTECTION NEEDED

Newcastle, N.S.W.

Given adequate protection by the Commonwealth Government, there should be every reasonable prospect for the establishment of an oil from coal plant in Australia.

In making this prediction, Dr. Howard K. Strong, of British Imperial Chemical Industries, Limited, said that without such protection it would be impossible to produce petrol from coal on a competitive basis with imported spirits.

In England, he added, the company had been assured of a margin of not less than 4d. a gallon between the import duty and any excise duty imposed for a period of 10 years.

It was largely due to the decision of the Government in England that they had been able to go ahead with the project there. "In Australia, where we would have to start on a new life, we would naturally require some more attractive and solid backing from the Government," he said. "We have estimated that petrol could be produced here at about 10d. a gallon, ex-works, but that did not allow any return whatever on the capital, about £10,000,000."

Dr. Strong said that to treat 1,000 tons of coal daily for oil would necessitate using about 3,500 tons daily, more than 2,000 tons being required for feeding the boiler plant, the generation of gas, and other services.

He expressed the opinion that the Newcastle-Maitland district was the only place in Australia which had an abundant supply of suitable coal easily obtained, and that the 1,000 tons treated would yield from 68 to 70 per cent. of petrol a day, or from a fifth to one-quarter the needs of the Commonwealth.—Reuter.

WHITE ENSIGN OF VICTORY.

Concession Granted To Non-Naval Vessel.

Durban, Natal.

Captain Alexander Anderson has received permission from the Lords of the Admiralty to fly the White Ensign on his bit model of the Victory under certain conditions in Durban Bay.

This is probably the only non-naval vessel in South African waters to be accorded such an honour.

The White Ensign to be used has already been made by the Durban Rangers of the Y. W. C. A. and is in the correct proportion to suit the model of Nelson's famous flagship.—Reuter.

MECHANICAL SEA SERPENT IN LOCH NESS

American's Views On Monster.

"HIPPOGRIF" JOKE RECALLED

New York.

Mr. Harry Watrous thinks that the Loch Ness Monster is a mechanical sea serpent made to spoof the public.

It was Mr. Watrous who created the famous "sea serpent" or "Hippogriff" of Lake George 30 years ago.

He did it for the edification of his friend Colonel William Mann who, he says, "was a great fisherman and a great romancer, and I determined to give him something to talk about."

Mr. Watrous made his monster out of a cedar log. He gave it a big mouth, donkeys' ears, four big teeth and telegraph pole insulators for eyes. The head was painted in yellow and black stripes, the mouth and nostrils red, the teeth white and the ears blue.

The log was attached to a long rope, which was dropped to the bottom of the lake on a pulley attached to a stone. Mr. Watrous hid on shore with the other end of the rope in his hand. He waited until Colonel Mann started to row out with a party of guests to an island which he owned.

When the boat was half-way across Mr. Watrous released the rope and the log bounced up to the surface, the head shaking as if to rid itself of water. A male member of the party screamed, a woman beat at the water, into which the monster had immediately disappeared again, with her parasol, and Colonel Mann shouted: "Good God, what is it?"

News of the apparition spread rapidly along the shore of the lake. During the night Mr. Watrous and a friend, who was in the secret, moved the position of the painted head. For a number of nights subsequently the monster was moved from place to place and during the day it would bob up to the surface.

A pair of newly-weds came along in a canoe and the husband, seeing the monster, promptly dived out of the canoe and swam for the shore. When he tried to re-establish relations with the bride, she refused to see him.

The joke, Mr. Watrous decided, had gone far enough, and he removed the monster.

Mr. Watrous, who is 80, still works six hours every day.—Reuter.

EFFECT OF NOISE ON WORKERS

Cambridge University Experiments.

SUDDEN SOUNDS WORST

London.

A chance word overheard or an unexpected noise causes more distraction than the loudest continuous noise.

This fact was disclosed by Professor F. C. Bartlett, Director of the Psychological Laboratory at Cambridge University, in a lecture at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.

He was speaking on the effect of noise on workers and his conclusions were the result of many experiments, one of which consisted of ringing electric bells in the ears of selected workers.

By these experiments he proved that noise, however intense, does not disturb the people who make it.

Complaints of noise come most frequently from people who are doing unaccustomed work or who are worried.

People who have to do mental work but are bored and tired are most affected by noise.

In the course of his investigations he found that very few workers put their utmost effort into their daily task.

"Normally everybody works at any task a long way below his maximum efficiency," Professor Bartlett said in his lecture. "If we did not, when the course of life made an extra demand, we should crack and collapse."—Reuter.

DAUGHTER-IN-LAW BRANDED.

"Effective Cure For Many Ailments."

Bombay.

"I admit I branded my daughter-in-law," said a woman named Godubai, when charged with culpable homicide in a court at Nasik.

She added: "It is a most effective cure for numerous ailments including the kidney disease from which my daughter-in-law was suffering. I did it in good faith. I did not bring about her death."

Before branding the 11-year-old girl, Godubai said, she had obtained her son's consent.—Reuter.

SOLDIER RETURNS FROM WAR.

Finds Wife Re-Married And Estate Gone.

Budapest.

Janos Horvath, a farmer, joined the Hungarian Army in 1914. He was made a prisoner of war by the Russians, and was never heard of again.

He has just returned to his native village, with one leg missing, and found his wife had married again, his son had died, his property had been sold, and he had been declared legally dead.—Reuter.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcasted to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wave length of 355 metres (846 K.C.'s):—

1-2.15 p.m.—European Programme. 1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Recorded Music. 1.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room (by courtesy of the Management).

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, etc. 2.15 p.m.—Close Down. A Talk on the Lincolnshire Regiment To-night.

Concert of Russian Music. 4.30-7.30 p.m.—Chinese Programme. 7.30-10.30 p.m.—European Programme.

7.30 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc. 7.5-8 p.m.—From the Studio. Jazz Violin and Piano Solos by Candido Nalux and Pomping Villa.

Programme. 1. Aint She Sweet. 2. Boulevard of Broken Dreams. 3. Coffee in the Morning. 4. Some of these Days. 5. Sentimental Over You. 6. I'll see you Again. 7. Come up and See me Sometime. 8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.20 p.m.—Song Memories. Great Bass Ballads. Norman Allin and Chorus. Hermann Lohr—Vocal Gems. Columbia Light Opera Company. 8.20-8.42 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music.

Love's Last Word (Cremieux). Le Chaland Qui Passe (Bizet). Albert Sandler & His Orchestra. Symphonic Rhapsody on "I Pitch my Lonely Caravan." "I heard you Singing" and "Bird Songs at Evening" (Eric Coates). Eric Coates & Symphony Orchestra. Souvenir D'Ukraine (Ferraris). Black Eyes.

Russian Impression (Ferraris). Albert Sandler & His Orchestra. 8.42-9 p.m.—Octets. Memories of Chopin (arr. Willoughby). J. H. Squire Celeste Octet. A Venetian Barcarole—Serenade (arr. Willoughby).

J. H. Squire Celeste Octet. 9-9.30 p.m.—From the Studio. A Short History and Traditions of the Lincolnshire Regiment by Captain F. W. Young. 9.30-10.30 p.m.—A Concert of Russian Music. Pianoforte Solo.

Polichinelle (Rachmaninoff). Prelude in B Flat (Rachmaninoff). Left Poulshoff. 1st Movement from Concerto in D for Violin and Orchestra (Tschalkowsky) Op. 35).

Bronislaw Huberman (Violin) and the Berliner Staatskapelle conducted by Steinberg. 1st Movement—Allegro Moderato. Overture—Prince Igor (Borodin). Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates.

Theme and Variations from Suite No. 3 in G (Tschalkowsky). London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald. Orchestral Gopak—"The Fair at Sorochinsk." (Moussorgsky). London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates.

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press News. 10.35 p.m.—Close Down.

HARDEST LIFE IN WORLD.

Perilous Fishing Off Newfoundland.

Lisbon.

About 2,000 men in 84 "wind-jammers" have set out from the River Tagus for eight months of the hardest life in the world. They will not touch land until they return.

They are the crews of the Portuguese schooners which fish for cod off the famous Newfoundland "Banks."

Each schooner carries a number of tiny dories which put off from the parent boat and fish for the cod with hand lines.

They are away for hours, and if a sudden gale springs up or the dreaded fog from Labrador sweeps down on them, they are sometimes never seen again.

It is taken for granted that when the fishing fleet returns to Portugal, many of the fishermen will have been drowned.—Reuter.

BLIND BURGLAR ARRESTED.

Made Noise While Getting Away.

Alexandria.

A blind burglar named Abdel Hani has been arrested at Desouk, in Lower Egypt.

He has almost succeeded in getting away with booty from a shop when he tripped over a pair of sandals. The owner of the shop, who caught him as he was groping his way out.—Reuter.

SPORTING Page

BRADBURY SECURES LEADERSHIP IN SENIOR BOWLS SKIPS TABLE



C. G. SILVA

SILVA ONE OF ORIGINAL RECREIO TEAM

Interporter Who Holds Highest Skip Win

TWICE REACHES LAST EIGHT IN COLONY CHAMPIONSHIP

(By G. L.)

One of the first members of the Club de Recreio to take up lawn bowls when it was introduced in the Portuguese Club in 1927, C. G. Silva has played consistently since that date for the Recreio with no small measure of success.

Commencing as a raw novice, Silva skipped his Club's junior team in their first Lawn Bowls League match, within a week of first playing the game. He has since reached the last eight in the Open Singles Championship on two occasions—in 1931 and 1932.

Among his achievements in the game is included the unofficial record for the highest premier league rink score in local lawn bowls. In 1932 he skipped a Recreio rink to a 38 to 4 success over R. Lapaley's Kowloon Dock's quartette.

Silva was a member of the Colony's Interport team which visited Shanghai in 1930, and has often played for Kowloon in the annual Attenhead Shield match against Hong Kong.

He represented Portugal in every Spey Royal Cup match, and was a member of the team which won the trophy from the Kowloon Docks in 1932.

Silva's record this season in the Senior Division of the League is one of the best. His rink, including J. E. Noronha, C. H. Basto and H. Alves, have only lost one of their seven games to date.

Their single defeat was by a margin of one shot against B. W. Bradbury's Craigengower "A" four on June 9.

History Of Recreio

Silva, as one of the original members of the Club de Recreio team of lawn bowlers, recalls the club's introduction to the game, which occurred but a week before the start of the League in 1927.

After moving to their present premises in King's Park from their old Clubhouse—where the Duro Garage now stands—a lawn bowls rink was included in the Club grounds. None of the members, however, had ever played the game before and knew little or nothing of how to roll a wood.

The members were indebted to Messrs. R. Lapaley and J. Russell, for their first introduction to the game, and for their painstaking tuition, due to which the members were able to field a team within a week of the commencement of the League.

Win First Match

Victory in their very first game in the League, against the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, on a strange green, however, imbued the members with an enthusiasm

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U.M. OMAR DISPLACED AFTER 5 WEEKS

GUY CLOSE BEHIND SILVA FOR SECOND PLACE

THOMPSON'S RAPID ADVANCE

DEFEATED last Saturday by J. Deakin (K.B.G.C.) by 25 shots to 13, U. M. Omar (C.C.C. "A") lost the leadership of the Senior Division skips record after heading the list for the past five weeks. He has been unplaced by B. W. Bradbury, another Craigengower player.

C. G. Silva (Club de Recreio) retained his second position, though he is closely challenged by L. Guy (K.B.G.C.) who has the same number of victories but is 6 shots behind Silva. U. M. Omar now occupies fourth position.

Recording a win over R. R. Wood (C.S.C.C.) by a margin of 23 shots to 16, A. E. Carey (Police R.C.) retains his leadership among the junior skips.

OBTAINING A COMFORTABLE WIN BY 34 SHOTS TO 9 AGAINST DR. V. N. ATTENZA (C.C.C.), G. E. F. THOMPSON (K.B.G.C.) HAS MADE A REMARKABLE ADVANCE FROM SEVENTH TO SECOND PLACE, DISPLACING A. F. PAUL (H.K.E.R.C.) WHO, DROPPED 13 SHOTS AGAINST K. M. OMAR (I.R.C.).

The following are the complete skips' records for the season:

FIRST DIVISION									
	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.			
B. W. Bradbury (C.C.C. "A")	7	6	1	0	55	0			
C. G. Silva (Recreio)	7	6	1	0	51	0			
L. Guy (K.B.G.C.)	7	6	2	0	52	0			
U. M. Omar (C.C.C. "A")	7	5	1	1	40	0			
J. Deakin (C.S.C.C.)	7	5	2	0	36	0			
W. S. Drake (K.B.G.C.)	7	5	2	0	31	0			
W. Macfarlane (K.B.G.C.)	5	4	1	0	26	0			
R. Basa (C.C.C. "A")	6	4	2	0	0	14			
J. McKelvie (K.D.B.C.)	7	4	3	0	19	0			
A. W. Grimmit (C.S.C.C.)	7	4	3	0	12	0			
C. S. Rossett (C.C.C. "B")	7	4	3	0	0	2			
R. P. Phillips (K.C.C.)	5	3	2	0	20	0			
J. C. Chalmers (Talkoo D.R.C.)	5	3	2	0	2	0			
N. Drummond (Talkoo D.R.C.)	7	3	3	1	0	17			
F. X. Silva (Recreio)	7	3	4	0	0	15			
J. Fraser (K.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	7	0			
R. F. Luz (C.C.C. "A")	5	2	3	0	0	7			
W. Mair (Police)	5	2	3	0	0	10			
D. Midro (Talkoo D.R.C.)	6	2	3	1	0	5			
J. C. Brown (K.D.B.C.)	7	2	4	1	0	17			
J. Cavanagh (C.C.C. "B")	7	2	5	0	0	20			
F. J. Jones (C.S.C.C.)	1	1	1	0	0	3			
A. R. Clarke (Police)	2	1	1	0	0	15	0		
A. H. Basto (Recreio)	3	1	2	0	0	0			
C. Summons (C.C.C. "B")	3	1	2	0	0	2			
R. Wallace (Talkoo D.R.C.)	3	1	2	0	0	13			
R. McKewen (Talkoo D.R.C.)	3	1	2	0	0	15			
W. Gill (C.C.C. "B")	4	1	3	0	0	19			
W. E. Hollands (Police)	5	1	4	0	0	39			
G. Moss (Police)	7	1	5	1	0	30			
W. Greig (K.D.B.C.)	7	1	5	0	0	35			
A. E. Silkstone (K.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	6			
W. Hendley (K.D.R.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	18			
R. Lapaley (K.D.R.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	20			
F. E. Booker (Police)	2	0	2	0	0	23			
E. G. Post (Police)	2	0	2	0	0	34			
C. E. Marques (Recreio)	2	0	2	0	0	41			
F. V. V. Ribeiro (Recreio)	2	0	2	0	0	41			

SECOND DIVISION

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.
A. E. Carey (Police)	8	7	1	0	63	0
G. E. F. Thompson (K.B.G.C.)	8	6	2	0	39	0
A. R. Dallah (I.R.C.)	7	5	2	0	37	0
A. F. Paul (H.K.E.R.C.)	8	5	3	0	57	0
A. Macfarlane (R.H.K.Y.C.)	8	5	3	0	45	0
R. E. Davies (C.S.C.C.)	8	5	3	0	37	0
H. H. Rose (K.B.G.C.)	8	5	3	0	34	0
A. Chapman (R.H.K.Y.C.)	8	5	3	0	29	0
A. M. Wahab (I.R.C.)	8	5	3	0	19	0
W. K. Way (C.C.C.)	7	4	3	0	0	27
K. M. Omar (I.R.C.)	8	4	4	0	0	18
T. Ferguson (K.C.C.)	4	3	1	0	0	15
L. Whant (C.S.C.C.)	5	3	2	0	10	0
J. M. Jack (K.C.C.)	5	3	2	0	4	0
W. McHardy (Police)	5	3	2	0	0	4
L. de Rome (H.K.E.R.C.)	6	3	3	0	0	5
B. E. Maughan (R.H.K.Y.C.)	6	3	3	0	0	5
E. Kern (K.C.C.)	7	3	4	0	0	5
W. Glendenning (Police)	7	3	4	0	0	15
F. Haynes (H.K.F.C.)	8	3	5	0	0	19
V. N. Attenza (C.C.C.)	8	3	5	0	0	43
J. Russell (H.K.F.C.)	8	3	5	0	0	43
S. Deacon (H.K.E.R.C.)	2	2	0	0	13	0
A. S. Gomes (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	3	0
E. G. Barry (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	6	0
J. Ribeiro (Recreio)	3	2	1	0	11	0
H. Overy (K.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	0	6
J. G. Meyer (K.B.G.C.)	4	2	2	0	9	0
J. J. Basto (Recreio)	5	2	2	1	11	0
L. Luck (C.S.C.C.)	5	2	3	0	8	0
J. Gregory (H.K.F.C.)	7	2	5	0	0	15
C. A. Lopes (Recreio)	7	2	5	0	0	15
H. Rozario (Recreio)	1	1	0	0	6	0
J. B. Riddell (Police)	1	1	0	0	24	0
C. H. Basto (Recreio)	1	1	0	0	32	0
I. G. Sousa (C.C.C.)	2	1	1	0	0	8
W. McLeod (Police)	2	1	1	0	0	15
R. R. Wood (C.S.C.C.)	3	1	2	0	0	7
C. Strange (C.S.C.C.)	3	1	2	0	0	33

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C. H. BASTO SETS NEW RECORD RINK WIN FOR THIS SEASON

Fine Effort Of Recreio Junior Skip In Debut Game

C. H. Basto, who made his debut as a skip for the Club de Recreio juniors against the Football Club last Saturday, recorded the highest rink score of any skip this season by compiling 40 shots to 8 against F. G. Haynes. The previous best was held by C. G. Silva (Recreio) with a margin of 31 shots.

H. A. Botelho, A. A. Remedios and C. de Alves comprised the Recreio rink.

MEYER'S WINNER

Last Wood Secures Six Shots.

TABLES TURNED ON C.C.C. RINK

A feature of the meeting between the junior teams of the Kowloon Bowling Green and Craigengower last Saturday was the bowling of J. G. Meyer on the last head against W. K. Way.

Commencing the last head on level terms at 17-all, Meyer was called on to bowl his last wood with Craigengower laying the shot. There was just this one wood against a good score, and Meyer, with a skilful shot, took it out to leave the Bowling Green lying six shots.

CLUB TOURNEY PROGRESS

K.B.G.C. Commence Third Round

VALLEY CLUBS MAKE A START

In spite of being comparatively fully occupied with Lawn Bowls League and championship matches, several Clubs are progressing well with their own club championship and handicaps.

At the Kowloon Bowling Green Club several competitions have already advanced to the Second Round, and the Handicap Singles has entered the Third Round.

Other Clubs are making similar progress.

Latest details of various club competitions follow:

KOWLOON BOWLING G.C.

Handicap Singles

First Round:—

P. D. O'Connell (+1) beat A. E. W. Davidson (—1)

H. H. Rose (—3) beat V. Petherick (—5)

Second Round:—

R. Randle (—3) beat L. Guy (—3)

Third Round:—

M. J. Henderson (—1) beat A. S. Russell (—3)

Non-Prize Winner's Competition

First Round:—

J. Macdonald w.o. from E. V. Searle

Handicap Pairs

First Round:—

L. Guy and M. J. Henderson (—5) beat G. Duncan and W. Brown (—7)

T. Armstrong and C. B. Hosking (—1) beat W. Macfarlane and E. V. Searle (—3)

Second Round:—

J. G. Charlton and H. F. Stoneman (—1) beat R. Hatt and P. D. O'Connell (—2)

S. Randle and B. Hall (—4) beat A. E. W. Davidson and B. E. Maughan (—1)

Vice President's Cup

First Round:—

W. S. Drake beat A. T. Hamilton

C. L. Farmer beat E. V. Searle

A. S. Russell beat W. Macfarlane

J. Fraser beat W. Moly

Second Round:—

W. S. Drake beat C. L. Farmer

N. Watson beat A. E. W. Davidson

Third Round:—

J. G. Charlton beat N. Watson

H. F. Stoneman beat W. Watson

Club Championships

First Round:—

L. Guy beat R. Duncan

Second Round:—

N. Watson beat V. Petherick

(21—14)

R. Roberts beat R. Hatt (21—15)

H. H. Rose beat W. Jeffries (21—8)

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CRAIGENGOWER "B" JUST SUCCEED

TACCHI SAVES K.C.C. FROM HEAVIER DEFEAT

GOOD HEADS ON ROUGH GREEN

(By SHORT HEAD)

IN spite of the heavy ground, which in places was anything but level, the heads formed in the match in which Craigengower "B" beat the Kowloon Cricket Club, by 54 shots to 52, at Kowloon on Saturday were good.

The rinks of J. Cavanagh, A. E. Silkstone, R. P. Phillips and C. L. Summons were fairly evenly matched, but the superiority of C. S. Rossett's four over that of J. Fraser was greater than the score suggests.

Had it not been for the good bowling of C. J. Tacchi—whom the Fates favoured—the margin of points between the two rinks would have been much wider.

CIVIL SERVICE AT HOME TO C.C.C.

Champions Have Safe Match.

POLICE STILL BELOW FORM BUT MAY SURPRISE TO-MORROW

(By SHORT HEAD)

Craigengower "A", following their fine win over the champions last week, have another stiff hurdle to overcome this week when they visit the Civil Service Cricket Club.

The Civil Service, while not any too formidable away from home, are always a difficult team to beat on their own greens. Craigengower, however, cannot afford to drop further points, and if they can produce the form displayed against the Kowloon Bowling Green Club last week, they should emerge victorious from the contest.

The champions are not likely to suffer defeat from their neighbours the Kowloon Cricket Club, and Craigengower "B" should have no difficulty in accounting for Kowloon Docks Recreation Club.

Recreio Favoured

The Police receive the Club de Recreio, and, in view of the latter's recent improvement the Portuguese players should win, unless the Police make a welcome return to form.

In the junior division, the Civil Service, having lost four matches in a row, are not expected to stop the "rot" at the expense of Craigengower.

The Kowloon Bowling Green Club and the Indians should account for the K.C.C. and Yacht Club, respectively, while it is not beyond the bounds of possibility that the Police may bring off the "double" against the Club de Recreio.

The following teams should win this week:—

Senior Division:—C.C.C. "A", K.B.G.C., Recreio, and C.C.C. "B".

Junior Division:—C.C.C., H.K.E.R.C., I.R.C., P.R.C., and H.K.E.R.C.

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TO-MORROW'S FIXTURES

The following are to-morrow's fixtures in the Lawn Bowls League, giving last season's results in brackets.

SENIOR DIVISION

CIVIL SERVICE C.C. (61) v CRAIGENGOWER "A" (44)

KOWLOON C.C. (68) v KOWLOON B.G.C. (51)

CRAIGENGOWER "B" (—) v KOWLOON DOCKS R.C. (—)

POLICE R.C. (55) v CLUB DE RECREIO (54)

JUNIOR DIVISION

CRAIGENGOWER (59) v CIVIL SERVICE (49)

KOWLOON B.G.C. (72) v KOWLOON C.C. (62)

INDMAN R.C. (60) v YACHT CLUB (53)

CLUB DE RECREIO (88) v POLICE R.C. (38)

FOOTBALL CLUB (—) v H. K. ELECTRIC (—)



U. M. Omar, one of the Colony's finest lawn bowlers, has been displaced from the leadership of the premier league skips record.

CRAIGENGOWER "A

SPECIAL OFFER



OWING TO OUR DECISION TO
RELINQUISH THE
LOTUS and DELTA
AGENCY. WE ARE OFFERING
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CRAIGENGOWER "A" ADVANCE

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A glance at the score would suggest that the Bowling Green four (R. Duncan, S. Randle, V. Petherick and W. Macfarlane) were playing below their form, but such was not the case. Their play was well up to the average, but they experienced bad luck.

U. M. Omar received an unexpected setback in his encounter with L. Guy, his skip's average suffering in consequence. He scored only 12 shots against Guy's 25. At no time did the Craigengower skip seem comfortable. He held the lead on one occasion only the first head—after which he seldom reached striking distance of his opponent.

Craigengower had only three players on this rink after the tea interval. Buchanan was called away urgently on the 13th head, and as he did not return within the 10 minutes allowed under the rules,



he took no further part in the game. A. S. Gomes and H. Beer each bowled three woods from the 14th head and a 25 per cent. deduction was made from the total score on the last 8 heads.

On the remaining, green, R. Bass ended up with an 8 shot victory over W. S. Drake, after leading by 1 shot only on the 19th head. A "6" on the 20th and a single on the last head were responsible for the difference.

Although Bass scored on 14 of the 21 heads, the majority were singles, no fewer than 10 ends being decided by this small margin.

This win has considerably enhanced Craigengower's league prospects, but they still have to visit the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, and there may be a different result to that match.

BOWLS SKIPS TABLE

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SECOND DIVISION									
	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.			
W. E. Hale (K.B.G.C.)	4	1	3	0	0	9			
A. H. Basto (Recreio)	4	1	3	0	0	23			
W. H. Muskett (H.K.E.R.C.)	5	1	4	0	0	20			
J. S. Dinnen (K.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	1			
A. M. Rumjahn (L.R.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	5			
L. Jack (K.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	7			
T. W. Carr (K.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	8			
N. M. Currie (H.K.E.R.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	10			
C. B. Robertson (H.K.E.R.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	12			
J. F. Lunny (H.K.E.R.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	20			
C. F. Alexander (Police)	1	0	1	0	0	20			
Y. Abbas (C.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	24			
L. E. Lammert (K.C.C.)	2	0	2	0	0	19			
Str. Thomas Southorn (H.K.E.R.C.)	2	0	2	0	0	20			
Dr. R. A. Basto (Recreio)	3	0	3	0	0	15			

which has never waned. The players promptly took to the game seriously, and by dint of hard practice were able to capture the junior title in the following year. Since promotion to the Senior Division, however, the Club, although as yet they have not attained premier honours, have approached the run-up position very closely on several occasions. Silva is of the opinion that with the assistance of other Portuguese players, who are now playing for outside clubs, the Club de Recreio is capable of fielding a team which could hold its own against the best. The game is extremely popular among the members of the Club and new players are being introduced to it each week.

HENRY COTTON LEADS BY NINE STROKES



FLEETWOOD SMITH 6 FOR 56

Australians Win By Innings.

London, To-day. Brilliant bowling by Fleetwood Smith the left-handed freak bowler, enabled the Australians to record their eighth win on tour when they defeated Somerset by an innings and 77 runs at Taunton yesterday.

Woodfull added 34 runs to his overnight total and Darling 17, and with Barnett adding 51 the tourists totalled 309 against the fast bowling of Wellard.

Faced with the task of scoring 193 to save the innings defeat, Somerset collapsed a second time, Fleetwood Smith securing 6 for 56.

Scores as cabled by Reuter were:—
Somerset: 116 (F. S. Lee 59, not out, W. J. O'Reilly 9 for 38).
116 (Fleetwood Smith 6 for 56).
Australia: 309 (W. M. Woodfull 84, L. Darling 79, B. J. Barnett 51, Wellard 6 for 111).

The Australians have won eight of their fifteen matches to date, having lost one and drawn the remaining six.

Hopwood 7 for 13 and 12 For 68.

LANCASHIRE BEAT GLAMORGAN

London, To-day. Phenomenal bowling by Hopwood, the medium-paced left hander, who took 7 wickets for 13 in the first innings and 5 for 55 in the second, enabled Lancashire to win by an innings and 32 runs at Liverpool yesterday.

Dismissed Glamorgan for 62 in the first innings Lancashire amassed a score of 254 for 4, to which total Watson, the opening bat, contributed 108, his fourth century of the season.

Doing little better in the second innings, Glamorgan were dismissed for 160, giving Lancashire a comfortable win.
Glamorgan: 62 (Hopwood 7 for 13).
160 (Hopwood 5 for 55).
Lancashire: 254 for 4 dec. (Watson 108).

CRAIGENGOWER "B" JUST SUCCEED

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With his last wood Gill came to rest about four inches in front of the jack. Neither W. Hyde nor Summons altered the lay. When Phillips bowled his last wood he could see just a little of the jack on the back hand.

He drew it with such accuracy that he cut it across the green to where four of his rinks woods were lying, to give Kowloon a lay of 4. Throughout the game Phillips played steady and useful woods, finishing off the good work of Fincher and Hyde.

SILVA ONE OF ORIGINAL RECREIO TEAM

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A lawn tennis team from the Kowloon Cricket Club, comprising E. C. Fincher, S. A. Gray, P. Zimmern, R. S. Capell, J. S. Smith, W. W. Hirst, Miss M. Griffiths, and Miss A. Mackenzie, will visit Canton this week-end to play a series of matches against the Deutscher Garten Klub at Tung-shan. George Bodker, who played for the K.C.C. against the U.S.R.C. in the Mixed Doubles League last Monday, will captain the Canton team, which will be comprised of R. P. Nevill, C. W. Watson, H. Bode, H. Schneider, H. Dillner, Mrs. Wooster, or Miss Lehmann, and Mrs. Fischer.

FRED PERRY RECOVERS WELL AT WIMBLEDON

STERN MATCH WITH MENZEL.

DOROTHY ROUND AND MARY HEELEY CLASH

London, To-day.

Fred Perry, Britain's leading contender for the Wimbledon lawn tennis title, was given a stirring struggle in the Third Round yesterday when Rodrique Menzel twice secured the lead in sets. Perry, however, recovered in convincing manner to win the last two sets.

Playing conditions were bad, stormy weather handicapping the players on slippery courts.

Sidney Wood, 1931 winner, dropped a set to Cooper, but was never extended in the next three sets.

Christian Boususs, France's leading player now that Meril has been eliminated, swept through C. E. Malfroy, the former Cambridge Blue and New Zealand Davis Cup player, in straight sets. With the defeat of Andrews on Wednesday, New Zealand is now unrepresented.

CRAWFORD'S OPPONENT

Yamagishi, Japan's last remaining hope, beat Lester, a promising British player. He will meet Jack Crawford, the holder, to-day and should give the Australian a good game.

No surprises featured the women's championship, though Mrs. Hopman, wife of the Australian Davis Cup player who beat Meril, offered surprising resistance to Mme. Mathieu, the French champion.

Dorothy Round and Mary Heeley, who gave an exhibition in Hong Kong last November, clashed, and the British No. 1 ranking player dropped only three games. Scores, as cabled by Reuter, were:

MEN'S THIRD ROUND.
S. Wood (U.S.) beat Cooper (Britain) 4-2, 6-3, 6-1.
Yamagishi (Japan) beat Lester (Britain) 7-5, 6-3.
C. Boususs (France) beat C. E. Malfroy (N.Z.) 6-1, 6-2, 6-3.
F. J. Perry (Britain) beat R. Menzel (Czechoslovakia) 6-4, 6-3, 5-7, 6-4, 6-2.

WOMEN'S SECOND ROUND.
Miss H. Jacobs (U.S.) beat Mrs. Andrus 6-2, 6-1.

WOMEN'S THIRD ROUND.
Miss D. E. Round (Britain) beat Miss M. Heeley (Britain) 6-3, 6-0.
Fr. Ansem (Germany) beat Miss Harvey (Britain) 6-1, 6-3.
Mme. Mathieu (France) beat Mrs. Hopman (Australia) 3-6, 6-1, 6-3.

STARTING TIMES FOR FANLING.

Sunday's Pairings.

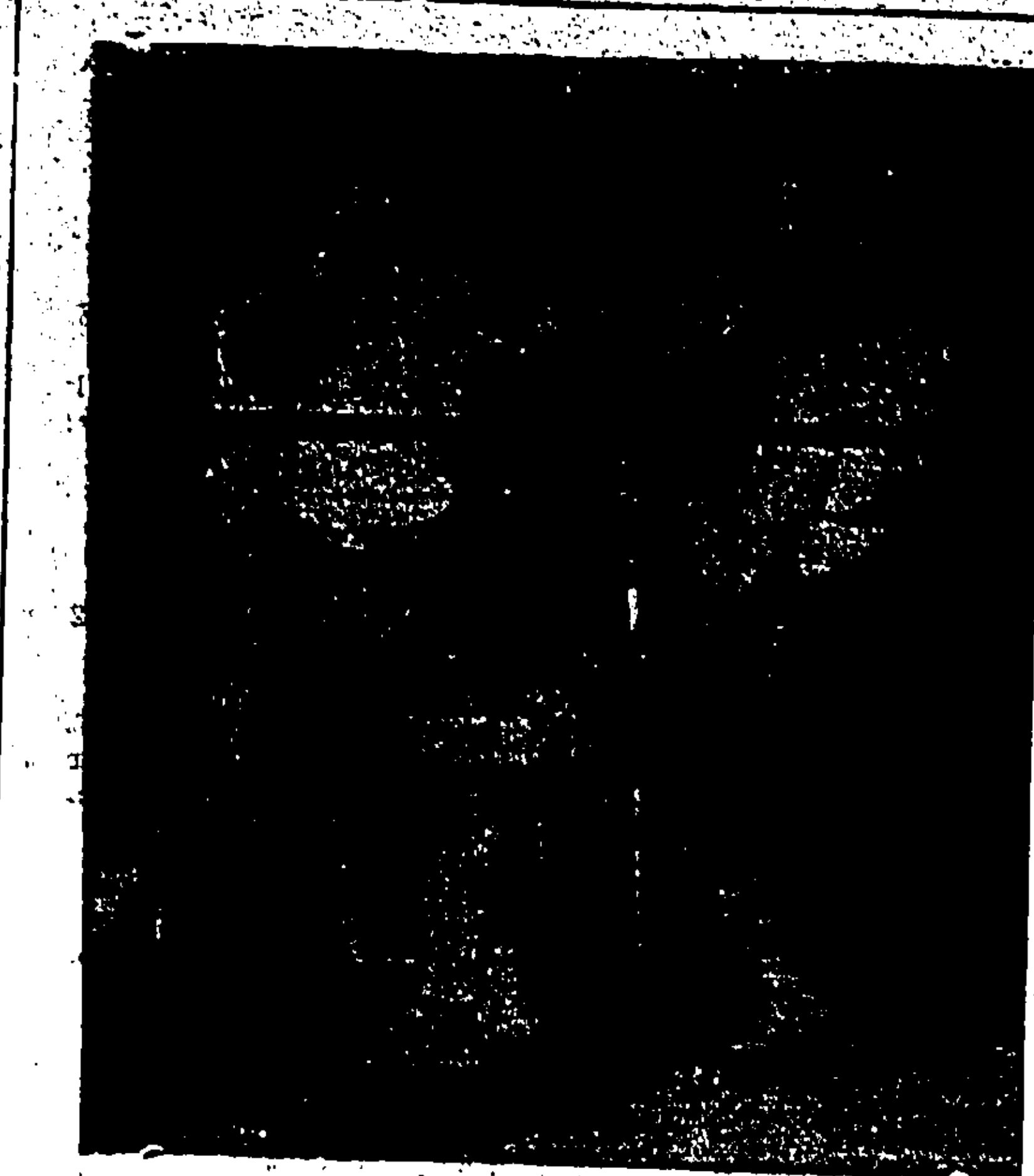
The following are the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club starting times for Fanling on Sunday:—

OLD COURSE	
9.28 a.m.	T. A. Pearce, A. E. Lissa.
9.32 "	E. M. Bryden, K. S. Morrison.
9.36 "	I. H. Geare, A. B. Purves.
9.40 "	A. T. Lay, H. H. Pethick.
9.44 "	Major Mackenzie, R. A. Rodgers.
9.48 "	H. W. Williamson, N. K. Littlejohn.
9.52 "	D. K. Rislop, E. P. Fletcher.
9.56 "	H. Hampton, W. S. Hillier.
MONDAY	
9.28 a.m.	T. A. Pearce, K. S. Morrison.
9.32 "	W. Gaddum, R. A. Rodgers.

K.C.C. TENNIS TEAM FOR CANTON.

To Meet German Club.

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Training for his unsuccessful bout with Barney Ross, lightweight champion, Jimmy McLarnin, former champion of the welter division, is shown handling a spar ring partner a left to the chin at Atlantic City, N.J. He was confident he could do likewise to Ross, but was surprised by the Jewish lad.

"C" DIVISION TENNIS TO-DAY

Easy Wins For C.R.C. and S. China

RECREIO FACED WITH BIG TASK AT K.C.C.

An interesting programme of matches in the "C" Division Lawn Tennis League will take place to-day, if the weather, which has washed out all but the Mixed Doubles matches this week, will permit.

At the Kowloon Cricket Club the home team will entertain the Club de Recreio, and a close match should result. The Recreio and K.C.C. are on level terms in the League.

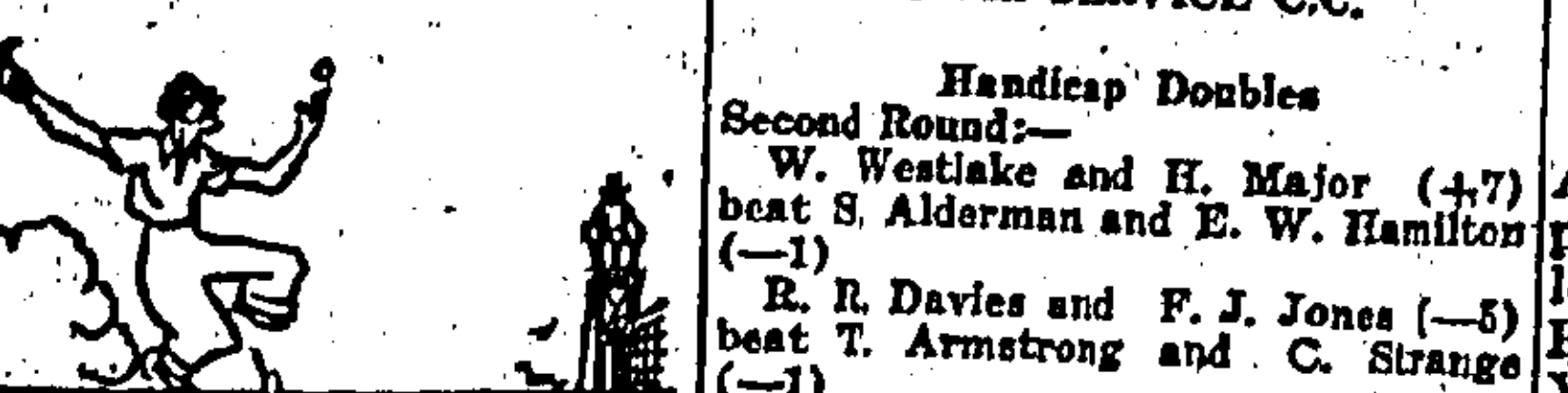
The champions, who head the League, will visit the Civil Servants, and should have no trouble in obtaining a large victory, the C.S.C.C. having won only two of their five matches this season.

The Indians should defeat the Army without trouble. The military team, since their bold showing in their first match, which gave them their only points, have been conspicuously unsuccessful.

An easy victory ought to come the way of Craigengower, who entertain the Radio. The Radio have yet to score a point, while Craigengower are undefeated in four matches.

South China are expected to secure an easy victory over the Bowling Green. South China are considered in many quarters as the likely champions, while the Bowling Green have won only one match to date.

The German Club will entertain their neighbours, the Central British Association, and are expected to concede the points.



The following are to-day's fixtures:

Civil Service	v. Chinese
Army	v. Indians
Craigengower	v. Radio
University	v. Police
Kowloon C.C.	v. Recreio
German Club	v. S. China
Bowling Green	v. S. China

S.E.A. Pts.									
	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.			
C.C.C.	5	6	0	0	0	24 1/2			
Recreio	4	3	0	0	0	10			
I.R.C.	5	3	0	0	0	22 1/2			
K.C.C.	4	3	1	0	0	18			
C.S.C.C.	5	3	0	0	0	22			
University	4	2	0	0	0	19 1/2			
C.B.A.	4	2	0	0	0	16			
S. China	2	2	0	0	0	15 1/2			
Army	3	1	2	0	0	14			
K.B.C.C.	4	1	3	0	0	12 1/2			
H.K.E.R.C.	2	0	2	0	0	14 1/2			
Police	4	0	4	0	0	12 1/2			
Deutscher	2	0	2	0	0	12			
Radio	4	0	4	0	0	11			

PADGHAM SECOND

WIZARD GOLF IN THE BRITISH OPEN TOURNEY

SHUTE GOES ROUND IN 143.

SARAZEN WELL IN ARREARS

London, To-day.

A new course record of 65, the lowest score in any national championship, enabled Henry Cotton, 27-year-old British professional at the Waterloo Club in Brussels, to lead the field by no less than nine strokes in the Second Round of the British Open Golf Championship at Sandwich yesterday.

Alfred Padgham, Britain's other hope to break the American sequence of eleven wins is in second place with 141 as the aggregate for his two rounds.

Densmore Shute, the American winner last year, is bracketed third with 143, as are Joe Kirkwood, American trick golfer, and Charles Whitcombe, another British contender.

Gene Sarazen, 1932 winner, has returned an aggregate of 143, just beating L. Garnett, the wealthy London Amateur, by one stroke.

In all 69 players, with scores of 163 or better, qualified for the Final 36 holes, which will be played to-day.

Leading scores, as cabled by Reuter were:

H. Cotton (Britain)	67, 65=132
A. Padgham (Britain)	71, 70=141
D. Shute (U.S.)	71, 72=143
J. Kirkwood (U.S.)	74, 69=143
C. Whitcombe (Britain)	71, 72=143
J. Nolan (Ireland)	73, 71=144
J. Dallemagne (France)	71, 73=144
W. Davies (Britain)	76, 68=144
J. Denny (Britain)	145
R. Hodson (Britain)	146
J. Taggart (Britain)	148
P. Alliss (Britain)	148
W. Laidlaw (Britain)	148
G. Sarazen (U.S.)	148
Macdonald Smith (U.S.)	148
L. Garnett (Britain)	149

Cotton, who had 13 under par, went round his 65 in:

4 3 3 4 4 3 4 4=33
4 3 4 4 4 3 3 3=32

Cotton's 182 for 36 holes is regarded as one of the finest performances in golfing history. Bogeys for the course is 78.

Cotton was runner-up to Padgham in the Dunlop-Southport tournament.

Garnett, leading amateur, caused a sensation by beating Jack Goodman, U.S. national champion, in the British Amateur Championship at Prestwick in May. He was beaten in the semi-final by W. Lawson Little, ultimate champion.

YANKEES DEFEAT SENATORS

Red Ruffing Back To Pitching Form.

TIGERS WIN IN U.S. BASEBALL

New York, To-day.

Washington Senators, 1933 American League baseball champions, were blanked in the major league series yesterday by Red Ruffing, who pitched for the New York Yankees. The Yankees won by a 4 to 0 tally.

Detroit Tigers nosed out the Chicago White Sox by an 8 to 7 margin, the game extending to 10 innings.

No National League games were decided.

Results as cabled by Reuter were:

Chicago	7 14 1
Zola Bonura hit a homer.	
Detroit	8 13 1
Game went to 10 innings.	

New York 4 9 0 || Washington | 0 3 1 |
| Red Ruffing pitched. | |

Boston 1 5 3 || Salters hit a homer. | |
| Philadelphia | 7 11 1 |
| Jimmy Foxx and Bob Johnson hit homers. | |

TALKIE TALKS

by DIANE

CLARK GABLE IS FEATURED IN GRIPPING HOSPITAL DRAMA

SYLVIA SIDNEY AND FREDRIC MARCH AGAIN TOGETHER IN "GOOD DAME."

Barbara Stanwyck In "Ever in My Heart."

SYDNEY KINGSLEY'S play, "Men in White," ran on Broadway with a screen favourite in the leading part—Alexander Kirkland. The magnificent production from the M. G. M. studio gives Clark Gable the best acting chance of his career. As the handsome young Dr. Ferguson, he is all tenderness, charm, strength, and thoroughly convincing. What is more, he gains your sympathy. We find him engaged to a pretty Society girl (Myrna Loy) who feels that he pays too much attention to his work and too little to her.

The House Surgeon (expertly played by Jean Hersholt) sees a big future for the younger man, and wants him to devote his time to service for others. When Ferguson is snubbed by his fiancée for breaking an engagement, he spends a careless night with a pretty Nurse (Elizabeth Allan). The result of the misadventure of the doctor and the nurse, furnishes the climax of the play. She has to undergo a serious operation, and under the effects of the ether, babbles enough to explain the cause of it all. The House Surgeon thinking this will provide a lesson to the fiancée, insists that she be present. She faints, is carried out, and the Nurse dies. The end?

The play is harrowingly outspoken, serious, but withal human, and honest. The supporting cast is above the ordinary. Besides those already mentioned we have C. Henry Gordon, Otto Kruger, Russell Hopton, Wallace Ford and others. We are given in insight into the daily round of life in a big hospital. I hear that the operation scene does not escape criticism from the medical profession, but whether Gable is right or wrong in his actions does not mean a thing to me. It is just a strong play, and gives this actor a great chance. (Queen's).

"Four Frightened People"

"Four Frightened People" is a gripping tale of four people lost in the Malay jungle (all scenes taken in Honolulu where the principals went on location). Claudette Colbert, the plain unattractive school teacher becomes a lovely woman over whom the two men, Herbert Marshall and William Gargan quarrel. The best acting comes from Mary Roland, and Leo Carrillo. Cecil B. de Mille, the director, has yet to give us—in the talkies—something over which we can rave, but there is quite a lot of fascination in this film, and even if the actors seem a little self-conscious in their tiger skins, they all make the best of the material. The scenery alone is an attraction. Advised. (King's).

"Ever in My Heart"

At last, in "Ever in My Heart," Barbara Stanwyck has a role other than that of a loose woman, and she rises to the occasion in this sentimental story with grace and wistful charm. The theme is the personal martyrdom often suffered by individuals caught up in a war between hitherto friendly nations. "Hugo" (Otto Kruger) a German, meets and marries an American girl (Barbara Stanwyck). He is liked and welcomed by her friends and family, especially delighting them when he becomes an American citizen. Then when the War sets up hatred, intolerance and the hostility of all, he throws up everything to return to his own country to fight. The end is theatrical and tragic, but the super acting saves the situation. Ralph Bellamy is more than likeable as the "other man." The smaller roles are all well portrayed. Laura Hope Crews, Clara Blandick, Frank Albertson, George Cooper, and others, with expert direction by Archie Mayo. Don't miss seeing Miss Stanwyck in the best role she has had for months, and Otto Kruger acting in the most subdued manner, proves he is an actor who has migrated

from the stage to the screen for "keeps." (Alhambra).

"The Way to Love"

In "The Way to Love," we have Chevalier revelling in the role of the happy-go-lucky Parisian whose sole ambition is to become a guide. With his best pal, Edward Everett Horton, and the most adorable dog, a Sealym named "Mutt," we have plenty of humour. Anne Dvorak only has to look pretty and gaze in adoration at Maurice.

Minna Gombell and Arthur Pierston make the most of their opportunities. The story is not strong, but Chevalier, away from Boudoirs and uniforms, acts and sings with a charm that is irresistible. Yes—"Mutt," Horton and the Star, guarantee you real enjoyment. Don't miss this, and be sure to take the children. (King's).

"Female"

You may find some of the magnetism and brilliant talent in the Ruth Chatterton we now see in "Female," but personally, since she has been allowed to pick her own stories, she has gone slowly but surely down the ladder of fame. If you relish the idea of seeing the star vamping her husband, Mr. George Brent (since divorced), and the same Mr. Brent having little else to do, but appear the strong and silent "He-man," also the fair Ruth dirobing at intervals, and endeavouring to outshine Mae West, then be sure and see the actress who gave us "Madame X," "Anybody's Woman," "Sarah and Son," "Laughing Lady," "To-morrow and To-morrow," "The Doctor's Secret"—and lots more equally successful.

Now you see her in a trifle, some amusing situations with adequate support comprising Lois Wilson, John Mack Brown, Gavin Gordon (Leading man with Garbo in "Romance") and Ferdinand Gottschalk. It has sumptuous settings, lovely gowns, but it must be confessed the material hardly gives the star one really big moment. (Queen's).

"Good Dame"

The marvellous versatility of this man Fredric March. In "Good Dame" you could hardly recognize that sterling player who so skillfully portrayed the double role in "Jekyll and Hyde," "Royal Family," "Merrily we go to Hell," "Smilin' Through," "Design for Living" and many more, each one a different characterization.

I am not saying this is a role I would choose for one of my favourite actors—I don't like the common rough card-sharp type, but he plays the "bad man" for all it is worth. Then, too, there is that wonderful little actress Sylvia Sydney who can always make you shed a few tears with her wistful appeal. Photography is good and support dignified, including Jack la Rue and Noel Francis. It has lots of laughs, and a full quota of wise cracks, with a dialogue that does not let up for an instant. Don't miss seeing this popular team. (King's).

"Blood Money"

Every town has its Bail Bond Racket. This sums up in a nutshell the outline of the plot in the strong drama that brings back one of the most popular He-man type of actors the screen has produced—George Bancroft, after an absence of over two years.

"Blood Money" is a thoroughly American picture in characters, plot and treatment. The whole revolves round "Bill Bailey," (Bancroft) who provides ball for clients who cannot find it for themselves. He is a powerful man who sways justice to suit his own ends. The two leading ladies in this picture do especially good work, and Frances Dee as a young society girl who lives for sensations, will assuredly surprise you.

Judith Anderson as the woman who loves and is faithful in all things, is effective too. Chick Chandler, Blossom Seeley, Kathryn Williams, Sandra Shaw (now Mrs. Gary Cooper) and others, under the direction of Rowland Brown,

Visitors From East to West



When Mae West, screen star, issued her famous "cumpan-scene sometime" invitation, she little thought it would be answered by an Eastern potentate. But here is the Sultan of Indore, Sir Ibrahim, third richest man in the world, a-visiting Mae. He, however, took the precaution of bringing his English-born Sultana with him.

put over a rather complicated story in entertaining manner. Bancroft, you will find has not changed at all, and gives his usual robust capable performance. Strong ultra-American drama. (Alhambra).

"One Sunday Afternoon"

"One Sunday Afternoon" is a domestic drama which takes place in a country dentist's office. This simple human story is ingeniously told in flashback form. Gary Cooper is a pleasant surprise. Frances Fuller (a recruit from Broadway) makes the part of the wife so appealing and sweet that one wonders why Gary still loves his first sweetheart, played in true vampish fashion by Fay Wray.

Neil Hamilton is the successful rival who is the main cause of all the trouble. The story has been told before, and is not unlike "Turning back the Clock" so well played by Lee Tracy. I don't say this is an outstanding film, but it is sincere, and Director Stephen Roberts, makes it good entertainment of a popular sort. (King's).

"Good Companions"

One of the best British films we have had the pleasure of seeing was Priestley's "Good Companions." Jessie Matthews, John Gielgud, Edmund Gwenn, Mary Glynn, A. W. Bascombe, Richard Dolman and many more. Strongly advised.

Then comes "Cat and Fiddle" in which Jeanette MacDonald sings divinely and looks lovely. Ramon Novarro acts well. Frank Morgan, Charles Butterworth and Vivienne Segal are all good, and the music alone is worth going to hear twice. Then we have Emil Jannings in "Merry Monarch," a part that is hardly worthy of this great German actor. The American girl Sidney Fox is the leading lady. One recommendation however, is the beautiful scenery. Then—comes the really outstanding film from the Metro Studio for 1934—(so far). Max Baer in "The Prizefighter and the Lady." What a picture what a man—Baer.

Myrna Loy. Walter Huston and Otto Kruger the principals who help to make this a film I will not forget. It will be more than interesting to see now, as since this was filmed, Baer has really become Champion of the Boxing World, beating Primo Carnera, whom he meets in the course of the story. Jack Dempsey is seen as the referee. Not only for Fight-fans but lovers of good acting, and if you want to see the outstanding male find of 1934, then don't miss Max Baer. (Star).

"I'm Telling You"

The Women's Clubs in the United States have started a national campaign against the production of "Salacious" pictures. They consider them a grave menace to youth, homelife and Religion. They are most strongly against the depiction of gangsters, and other criminals—both men and women—as heroes and heroines. Millions of filmgoers will pledge themselves to stay away from films that are blacklisted by this so-called "League of Decency."

Short Shots

Three weeks after announcing that their engagement had been broken off, Basil Dean and Victoria Hopper were married quietly in Essex.

Two of Sinclair Lewis' best novels, "Main Street" and "Babbalanza" will be filmed by Warner.

After the big success made by Herbert Marshall in "Riptide" he has been chosen as leading man opposite Garbo in "The Painted Veil" by Maughan.

The idea of producing "Good Earth" in China has been abandoned, and the film will be made in Hollywood with the help of the scenes taken by George Hill round Nanking.

Mae West has postponed her production of "The Queen of Sheba" and will do one titled, "Me and the King," which will have a court atmosphere.

George Cukor, Howard Eastbrook (famous scenarist) and David Selznick have arrived in London. They are there to make plans about the Metro production of "David Copperfield," and state that everything will be done to satisfy lovers of Charles Dickens's works.

Frances Drake, the Canadian girl recently seen here in "Bolero" replaces Carole Lombard in "The Notorious Sophie Lang," with Miss Lombard going opposite Gary Cooper in "You Belong to Me."

Clive Brook, with his wife and two children are shortly re-visiting their home country. Like the Leslie Hyward's children, they will also remain at an English school.

Metro have borrowed George Brent as lead opposite Myrna Loy in "Stamboul Quest." Since his recent divorce from Miss Chatterton, his good breaks have come in quick succession, even to the quarrel with Warners being patched up.

Columbia are making Walter Connolly (seen here as the father in "Paddy-the-next-best-thing," a star.

It is good news to hear that Berton Churchill will play the part he made famous on the stage in "Alias the Deacon." Hitherto his parts on the screen have not been too important, and he is a splendid character actor.

Lee Tracy has signed a long-term contract with Paramount.

Mae Murray has lost a \$60,000 law suit against a Film Company.

Eddie Cantor is going to England on a short holiday, and will make two appearances while there for charity.

At last Elissa Landi has decided to divorce her husband, a London Barrister. He refuses to live in Hollywood, and she owns a gorgeous home there and has no intention of living anywhere else, so what have you but divorce?

Harold Lloyd and Una Merkel have finished production of "Cat's Paw."

Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire who danced the Carols, so well together are to re-star for R.K.O.'s "Radio Revels."

Boris Karloff will soon start work on "The Return of Frankenstein."

London Films will make "Lawrence of Arabia" and most likely Leslie Howard will be star with Lewis Milestone, as director.

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MAKING "SHOTS" IN COLONY FOR "CHINA SEAS"

Mr. James McKay Brings Complete Staff.

CLARK GABLE'S NEW FILM

James McKay, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's motion picture director and producer of "Tarzan, the Ape Man" one of the most popular 1933 films, and who has just completed its sequel, "Tarzan and His Mate" arrived in Hong Kong yesterday from Hollywood on the Asama Maru, accompanied by Mrs. McKay.

Mr. McKay, who is also accompanied by staff of assistants and cameramen, is on his way to Saigon, Indo-China, from where the party will go to the famous ruins of Ankor Vat. In the majestic and awe inspiring grounds of one of the world's most largest and mysterious temples, "location" shots will be taken of the temple-dancing girls to the accompaniment of the weird chanting music.

These, and other jungle scenes, will be carried back to Hollywood to be super-imposed into the background for a new film known in its present early state as "Indo-China" and starring Clark Gable and Adolphe Menjou.

The feminine role for this picture has not been decided as yet, although it is highly probable that Joan Crawford will be seen opposite to Gable. Jean Harlow, is another famous actress of the M. G. M. studio whose name is also coupled with this production.

"Shots" Of Hong Kong. Mr. McKay and his party will remain in Hong Kong for four days during which time "shots" of the harbour and island will be taken for yet another picture to be known as "China Seas." Clark Gable will also star in this picture, and Jean Harlow is mentioned as his leading lady.

Best Out East.

In spite of the bad weather which greeted Mr. and Mrs. McKay on their first visit to the Colony, both were unanimous in their opinion of Hong Kong's beauty as a scenic spot and considered that it was the "finest spot out East."

In an interview with a "China Mail" representative yesterday, Mr. McKay said that a full equip-

ment of sound instruments and gear was carried, and "shots" had already been taken during the voyage. None of the intended cast, however, required to make the trip as trick photograph had now advanced to such a stage that it was entirely unnecessary for any of the players to leave Hollywood, and yet act and appear in scenes, taken thousands of miles away, with all realism. The risk of accident, damage, and loss of time did not substantiate the long journey of an entire cast. The location comes to the players and not the players to the location, was the usual practice.

Mr. McKay, also denied any connection with the filming of "Good Earth" and the much-talked of "The Painted Veil."

Johnny Weismuller Again. Johnny Weismuller, the world champion swimmer, is again cast as Tarzan in the new release "Tarzan and His Mate," which is now taking America by storm. Maureen O'Sullivan, who also played in "Tarzan," is again the leading lady.

Mr. McKay said that the release of "China Seas" would probably be made in late September. As was the general rule with a film story, the actual plot was written towards the end or at the very last moment. Location shots for nearly every scene were prepared in advance and the story altered and cut to suit. It was seldom that the original story, unless a "best seller," was adhered to in its picture form.

Clark Gable and Joan Crawford, said Mrs. McKay, are extremely popular in America, and a recent release of Joan Crawford's, "Sadie McGee," is considered to be one of her best pictures to date.

The staff accompanying Mr. McKay are, Mr. Harry Perkins, Assistant Cameraman, Mr. Clyde de Vinna cinematographer, Mr. H. D. Watson and Mr. Alfred Inman, sound engineers.

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"The silver market continues to be under London parity. There is no change in trading conditions, except a narrowing of differences. At the opening of the cotton market Liverpool and the Trade were buying. There is a small amount of selling from the South, together with some realizing. The tone is steady."—Reuter.

QUIET WEDDING IN KOWLOON.

Noronha Printing Press Manager Married.

BASTO — BARRETTO.

A quiet wedding was celebrated yesterday morning at St. Theresa's Church, Kowloon Tong, when Miss Olivia M. Barretto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Barretto, was married to Mr. J. J. Basto, youngest son of Mrs. J. M. Basto and the late Mr. J. M. de Castro Basto. The bridegroom is manager of the Noronha Printing Co., and the bride is a sister of Mrs. Leo D'Almada, Jr.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by two bridesmaids, the Misses Ofeilia Barretto and Lolita de Sousa.

CHEERFUL WALL STREET SENTIMENT

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"Wheat: The absorbing of hedging sales and of local offerings and the large movement of the crop in the South-West have increased the strength of Corn. The fear that heat will cause damage in parts of the American North-West had some effect on the market. Wednesday's sales: 29,489,000 bushels.

"Cotton: Prices closed at around the day's best levels. Buying was more general. The supply of contracts was quiet and limited. Sentiment was aided by the improvement in grains. Weather conditions are clear.

"Silver: Futures were sharply higher on speculative buying of distant months and the market continued to absorb July offerings, which were credited to Government account. March option was sold at 48.64, within a fraction of fifty cents, the basis on which the Government is expected to value silver. It was the opinion of the market that this was the present objective of bull operators. Total sales: 234 contracts.

"Rubber: Market featureless. Total sales: 489 contracts.

Night Telegram

The following telegram was received from New York by the night service:

"At the opening the market was even and light. The President's speech may offer some business encouragement rather than inflation. (Continued on foot of preceding column)

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Education In The Machine Age.

A phrase from the Presidential address to the Conference of Head Teachers recently held in London curiously illustrates the gap in thought which separates us from the nineteenth century. Education was praised by the President as "the only antidote to the machine age." Our fathers did not consider that education needed justification; it was a self-evident good tied up with enlightenment, democracy and progress in the triumphal procession of humanity. Nor on the whole had they qualms about living in a mechanical era; the complacent Samuel Smiles was the biographer of the great engineers who formed, as it were, the apostles of a mechanical revelation.

No one can claim that our social life is adjusted yet either to the plenty or to the leisure that the machines can bestow. It seems a tenable belief that our adjustment depends as much on the type of mind produced in the individual citizen as on his political or economic status. The great mass of our citizens depend upon machines for their livelihood, and as "machine-minders" have less physical toil and shorter hours than the toiling masses of Victorian England. Not every mechanic finds his task monotonous or tedious; that is a belief popularised mainly by academic persons oblivious of the interest which the modern small boy takes in miniature railways, or his father in full-size motor-cycles and cars. Many tasks in the machine age are, none the less, repetitive—negative and passive, too, rather than active and creative. If all leisure (and not merely a part of it) is spent with a comparable monotony and passivity, the next generation will be the bored children of dull parents. It is against this threat that education should be arming its forces.

Fewer People.

The population of Britain increased so continuously and with such rapidity during the years of the great industrial expansion that the idea of its ceasing to grow at all is still a little startling. Yet the vital statistics for the last quarter of 1933, show that the population to-day is almost stationary. Soon even the present slight increase will have ceased. Our birth rate has reached a new low record, and our death rate is no longer declining. This tendency is common to nearly every industrial nation. It has been calculated by experts that the French population will begin to decline

in 1937, the British in 1942, the German in 1946, and the United States in 1960.

There are signs that even the Chinese are approaching stagnancy, and that the present large increase in the Japanese population cannot be long continued. Obviously the check to population will affect many world conditions and create new problems. As the average age increases, populations will become older, and therefore less adventurous. Competition may become less fierce when there are fewer mouths to feed.

But the most serious result of the new condition will be the lessened demand for commodities present production is planned to supply a continually expanding demand. There are already indications that the demand is beginning to fall off, a process which will be accelerated in the future. There is plainly a period of drastic readjustment in front of the world.

Hendon Pageant.

The Royal Air Force pageant at Hendon to-morrow will show that with a little more encouragement from official quarters Britain would be the most air-minded nation in the world. Since it was started fifteen years ago, the pageant of the skies has been among the most popular of annual events. This year it will be more majestic, more thrilling, and it is hoped, more largely attended than ever before.

The pageant should hold two lessons for the public. First it will demonstrate anew the unmatched efficiency of the Royal Air Force. Secondly, it will reveal the deficiency in numerical strength compared with the air forces of other nations. The machines for the display will comprise half the total force available for home defence. The resulting comparison with foreign air strength may be odious, but it will be obvious.

COL DE LANA ARRIVES.

To Go Into Dry Dock At
Kowloon To-day.

Refloated after being aground on Pratas Island, the Italian motor-vessel Col de Lana arrived here on Wednesday and berthed at the Kowloon wharf, where a cargo of over 8,000 tons of soy beans and ground nuts were discharged.

It is understood that she will go into dry dock at the Kowloon Docks to-day. After being refloated, it was found that the ship was making water in her No. 2 hold and pumps have been maintained since to keep the water down. The full extent of her damages will not be known until after the vessel goes into dry dock.

HERE, THERE
and
EVERYWHERE

At Home To The Air Force

The officers and men of the 203rd Flying Boat Squadron, stationed at Basrah, have accepted an invitation of the Australian Government to attend the Melbourne centenary celebrations next October.

This squadron, which has done magnificent work in the Persian Gulf, will make the journey of roughly 24,000 miles in September.

Its personnel are looking forward keenly to the trip. They would look forward still more keenly if the celebrations fell in mid-summer, when the Gulf climate is purgatorial.

The White Flag

The Leticia dispute between Colombia and Peru—one of the few disputes of recent years which seems to have been happily settled—was the first and the only occasion for which the League of Nations produced a flag of its own.

It was a white rectangle inscribed in dark blue "League of Nations Commission, Leticia."

It was flown alongside the Colombian flag while the commission was in Leticia.

Leticia was one of the League's most outstanding fiascos. It is, of course, extremely remote, but at one time the war threatened to embroil all the northern republics of South America.

It was named by its founder after his lady-love, the daughter of a consul in Chile.

On his return to civilisation he found that the girl had married someone else.

Nature's Revenge

The war which the New Zealand Government have had to declare on red deer throws a sidelight on man's interference with nature.

In their original state, both the North Island and the South Island had no land mammals. The only fish which swam in their rivers were eels.

With the arrival of the British colonist acclimatisation of deer, pheasants, rainbow and brown trout, and, finally, salmon has been carried out with amazing success.

Nearly all these animals and fish now multiply more quickly and grow to greater size in the equable climate of New Zealand than they do in their countries of origin.

Lord Dalhousie, who introduced the red deer, seems likely to share the fate of Mr. Thatcher, who introduced the first rabbit into Australia.

Mr. Thatcher was given a special medal as a benefactor. To-day no words are hard enough for him.

Your Daily Smile!

Sandy was learning to play the bagpipes. One night, while he was strutting about the room, skirling for all he was worth, his wife attempted a mild protest.

"That's an awfu' noise ye're making," she said.

Sandy sat down and took off his boots; then got up and resumed his piping in his stocking feet.

CROESUS AND CO.

A motor-car manufacturer says the £200-a-year man can run a car nowadays. That is, of course, unless he prefers flying, hunting or yachting.

ASKING FOR IT

A man dislocated his neck while travelling in a tram car. That will teach him to buy his own newspaper in future.

Both In The Same Boat

Some people still try to make out that the Disarmament Conference isn't dead. Well, as I was saying to Queen Anne only last night...

CAUSE AND EFFECT

Man is said to be the only animal that laughs. He is also the only animal whose boss tells him jokes.

IS NOT IT?

"Sport is a great leveller," remarks a writer. This is particularly true of boxing.

Shattered Romance

If I knew where she lived I could write to that girl I met on the beach on Sunday—if I only knew her name.

ANGLO-FRENCH TRADE AGREEMENT REVISED CUSTOMS AND EXCISE DUTIES

London, To-day.

In connection with the Anglo-French trade agreement, the Treasury has issued an order bringing into operation, as from July 2 revised Customs and excise duties on silk, artificial silk, and articles made wholly or partly thereof, including Customs duties on Eastern tissues of varieties known as Shantung, Ninghai, Nanshan, Honan Antung and Hnubul of three shillings and sixpence per lb. where dyed or printed and two shillings and ninepence per lb. where undyed or unprinted.

In the case of made-up articles consisting wholly or partly of silk or artificial silk, the rates of duty are unchanged, except where the value of the silk or artificial silk component exceeds 5 per cent., but does not exceed 20 per cent. of the aggregate values of all the components of the article. The rate of duty in the latter case is increased from 20 to 25 per cent. In addition to the duty per lb. on Eastern tissues, the tissues already specified are subject to a duty of 25 per cent. of the full value of the article or, in the case of dyed or printed tissues, 7½d. per square yard, whichever is the greater.—Reuter.

TEXT OF AGREEMENT

London, To-day.

The new Anglo-French trade agreement, which was signed on Wednesday, will come into operation on July 1, and is to remain in force until April 1. It will thereafter be continued, subject to the right of either Government to denounce it at any time, so as to terminate in three months from the end of the quarter in which notice is given.

Under the agreement of the text, which was issued last night, each country undertakes that the other shall be the most favoured nation for treatment in matters of customs duties to goods which are produced of, and consigned from, others, apart from certain exceptions.

QUOTA RESTORATION

All quotas in respect of United Kingdom goods are to be restored to 100 per cent. The United Kingdom is to have a proportionate share in each trade concerned, as calculated upon the figures of such trading in the base period. The surtax of

20 per cent., which was imposed on certain French goods by an order on February 9, 1934, is to be removed.

The Agreement also contains certain provisions regarding the operation of French quotas, designed to enable the United Kingdom's trade to utilise fully the quotas allotted to it. In addition to these undertakings regarding the French quotas, guarantees have been given as to the quantities of many of the more important classes of United Kingdom's goods, subject to quota in France, which will be admitted from the United Kingdom during the period of the agreement.

COAL IMPORT QUOTAS

With regard to imports of United Kingdom coal into France, the French Government have undertaken to maintain in full the existing percentage, namely 49.5 per cent. of the normal global quota, which at present is 58.5 per cent. of the average imports into France from all foreign sources in the period 1928 to 1930.

There are, in addition to basic percentages, certain supplementary allocations for ports, etcetra. It is laid down that these shall not be reduced in a greater proportion than the normal quota, and shall remain open to free competition. For mechanical coal, freedom of purchase is to be maintained as at present.

PIT PROP PURCHASES

These guarantees regarding coal are linked with an agreement between the United Kingdom mine owners and French coal importers regarding the purchase of pit props.

On the United Kingdom's side, duties on certain classes of goods imported from France, which are of special importance to the latter country, are fixed for the period of the agreement. The most important of these classes are silk, artificial silk and manufactures thereof.

The United Kingdom's duties on French brandy and sparkling wines are not to be increased during the period of the agreement. A further clause, of the type normal in recent French trade agreements, makes provision as to the procedure if either Government should take action which upsets the equilibrium resulting from the agreement.—British Wireless Service.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Quarantine restrictions imposed by the Government of the Straits Settlements against arrivals from Hong Kong on account of small-pox have been removed.

The annual prize-giving of the Munsang College will be held on Tuesday at 4 p.m. The Hon. Sir Wm. E. L. Shenton, Kt., will distribute the awards.

Kwok Po, a paint scraper, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday, suffering from serious injuries sustained when he slipped off a plank while engaged in scraping a ship at the Bailey Shipyard.

While unloading cargo from the s.s. Col Di Lana, which arrived here yesterday, Fan Sik was struck by a moving crane, sustaining head injuries, for which he was removed to the Kowloon Hospital.

Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed on Chan Sang, unemployed, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for loitering with intent to commit a felony at No. 115 Wanchai Road, first floor yesterday morning.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia arrived at Kobe yesterday evening and sailed for Nagasaki this morning where she is due to-morrow morning. She will leave Nagasaki on Saturday at noon for Shanghai and Hong Kong.

Chan Pung, a 26-year-old coolie, was fined \$15 in default three weeks' hard labour, by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, for snatching hand baggage from pedestrians at the gate of the Kowloon Godown.

One case of typhoid fever and one case of meningitis were reported in the Colony during the 24 hours ending June 27.

Personal Pars

Mrs. Sidney Morgan, of Kuala Lumpur, arrived in the Colony last Friday on a visit, and is the guest of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel at Mountain Lodge.

Amongst the passengers for Shanghai on the Empress of Canada to-day was Professor C. A. Middleton-Smith of the Hong Kong University.

BANISHEE RETURNS TO BE GAOLED.

Previous Conviction In Singapore.

Sentence of 12 months' hard labour was imposed on Lam Chak, a banishee, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for returning to the Colony from banishment.

Accused was banished from Singapore in January this year, and was banished from here in February for a period of 10 years, when he was convicted on a charge of keeping a sly brothel.

DYNAMITERS IN AUSTRIA

Terror Spreads

Vienna, June 29.
The dynamiters have been systematically covering all of Austria with out-breaks of terroristic action was shown by the fact that there have been 18 dynamite explosions in this province alone within a few hours.—Associated Press.

MAGISTRATE MAKES TEST

ANGLO-GERMAN
TRADE WARNote To Berlin Says
Inevitable.

FRESH INSTRUCTIONS AWAITED

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1914, Received June 29, 1.24 a.m.)

London, To-day.

The German moratorium delegation has communicated with Berlin stating that a trade war, commencing on Sunday, seems inevitable unless Germany makes concessions to Great Britain. The delegation has requested fresh instructions. — United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

It is understood that good progress has been made in the Anglo-German financial discussions and that there is a reasonable prospect of an agreement which will obviate the necessity of the establishment of a clearing office. — Reuter.

KING'S APPROVAL

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

London, To-day.

His Majesty the King has approved the Exchange Clearing House Bill after its passage in the House of Lords.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

BILLS SECOND READING

London, To-day.

In the House of Lords yesterday evening the Debits Clearing Office and the Import Restrictions Bill was read a second time and passed the remaining stages.

Lord Stanhope, in moving the second reading, explained that the measure could apply not only to the case of Germany, but to other countries also.

He expressed a hope that the negotiations proceeding with the German representatives would make it unnecessary to institute clearing house arrangements, but it was, nevertheless, necessary that the Government should be given powers to take action against discrimination.—British Wireless Service.

SHOWDOWN STALLED

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President Roosevelt's board later persuaded the industrialists to postpone the forcible opening of the port until to-day in hopes of an early settlement. — United Press, per S. E. Levy and Co.

OPENING DEFERRED

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1914, Received June 29, 9.40 a.m.)

San Francisco, To-day.

The Industrial Association has deferred, until to-day, the forcible opening of the port, pending the Federal mediation efforts. — United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

MISPLACED ONUS

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He emphasized that Germany's anxiety to meet her obligations could not be proved by a mere display of depleted balances.

POSITION OF U.S. INVESTORS

He further emphasized that the United States did not desire to comment on the Young and Dawes Loans, because the United States had not signed those agreements, but he expected no discrimination against American investors with respect to payment or transfer.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

FRENCH HORSEMEN
TRIUMPHANT.Win Prince Of Wales
Cup At Olympia.

London, To-day.

H. R. H. the Prince of Wales attended the International Horse Show at Olympia yesterday afternoon and saw the jumping competition for the Prince of Wales Cup. The event was won by the French team to whom he presented the trophies. The Irish Free State was second, with Sweden third and Great Britain fourth.—British Wireless Service.

DANGEROUS
DRIVING BY MR.
GREYER PROVED\$50 FINE AND STERN
WARNING.

With a stern warning, Mr. E. W. Hamilton imposed a fine of \$50 on Mr. E. Greyer, of Messrs. Sander, Wieler and Company, at the Central Magistracy this morning, when the latter appeared on two summonses, of driving private car No. T267 in a dangerous manner in Repulse Bay Road, on June 9, at 6.50 p.m., and for driving without due care and caution in Shek O Road, on June 17, at 3.40 p.m.

At the last hearing, Mr. Greyer pleaded not guilty to the summonses, and was adjourned until yesterday afternoon, when Mr. Hamilton remarked that he would like to visit the places where the offences were alleged to have occurred.

Mr. L. H. V. Booth, Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence, said at the last hearing, that on the afternoon of June 9, defendant overtook his car and another car on Repulse Bay Road, on a blind bend, and cut in a stream of five or six cars.

Traffic-Sergeant Brown, who prosecuted on the second summons, said that defendant drove along Shek O Road at a speed of 35 miles an hour near a car park, when a car was coming out. There was nearly a collision, he said.

DANGER PROVED.

Mr. Hamilton, in fining the accused this morning on the summons for dangerous driving at Repulse Bay Road, said that he visited the scene yesterday. There was another car ahead of his, and that, although he was in a powerful car, there was absolutely no chance of passing the car in front without danger.

Mr. Hamilton remarked that Mr. Greyer had told him that he had been driving for the last 35 years without an accident, and added that Mr. Greyer must have been driving with better skill, accompanied by luck, and have been driving on better roads than the ones in Hong Kong.

In view of Mr. Greyer's previous record, a fine of \$50 was imposed, while on the second summons Mr. Hamilton said that the state of affairs was somewhat different and he quite accepted the Police version of the case and cautioned Mr. Greyer.

A stern warning was given to the driver by Mr. Hamilton, who said that drastic treatment would be meted out the next time he was charged with a traffic offence.

Summons Should Have
Been For Wife.

Mr. R. K. Valentine, of Dodwell and Company, was summoned before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for leaving his car unattended in front of the China Emporium.

Mr. Valentine said that the summons should be served on his wife, as the car was not his.

Traffic Inspector Nicol said that he was summoned because his wife had his driver's license at the time.

Mr. Valentine was dismissed with a caution.

Mr. U. Sze-wing, also of Dodwell and Company, was cautioned for a similar summons, leaving his car unattended on June 18 in Des Vaux Road Central.

Sir William Shenton's
Driver Cautioned.

Appearing on a summons for driving at a speed of 28 miles per hour in a controlled area in Whitefield Road on June 19, Miguel Javier, driver of Sir William Shenton's private car, No. 1817, was cautioned by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Defendant said that at the time of the offence, which was after midnight, he was driving Miss Shenton home after a party, and the road was clear at that hour. He said that he would not have done so in the daytime, and that he thought there was no harm when the road was quiet.

Mr. Hamilton said that when the law says 10 miles per hour, it must be 10 miles.

LEFT CAR UNATTENDED

Mrs. H. Sandas, of the Mercantile Bank, was cautioned by Mr. E.

BANKING BOOM IN
AMERICA\$1,000,000,000 Increase In
Deposits In 4 Months.

PURELY PUBLIC SAVINGS

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
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Washington, To-day.

The Government banking authorities claim a \$1,000,000,000 increase in public bank deposits in the United States since February. This four-month gain is believed to be one of the largest in history.

It does not include the sharp rise on Government deposits or one bank's deposits in another bank. Therefore, the increase reflects real accumulated savings of individuals and corporations.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

GAOL SENTENCE FOR
PORTUGUESE.

Returned Banishee.

Sentence of 10 months' hard labour was imposed on A. dos Remedios Marques, a Portuguese banishee, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for returning to the Colony from banishment.

Marques was banished on December 20, 1932, for a period of 10 years, following his conviction in connection with a Japanese in an armed robbery case in Kowloon, in 1931.

Sergeant Moran was in charge of the case.

AMERICAN SILVER ORDER

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Thirdly, that it was imported for immediate re-export or imported in silver bearing materials under agreement to refine and export.

Fourthly, that it is of 0.8 per cent. fineness or less.

Fifthly, "With the approval of the President for purposes not inconsistent with the purposes of the Silver Purchase Act of 1934."

The order sets the maximum penalty at a U.S.\$10,000 fine or 10 years' imprisonment.—United Press per S. E. Levy and Company.

W. Hamilton at the Central Police Court this morning, when she was summoned for leaving her car in front of the China Emporium unattended, on June 16. Sergeant Willerton prosecuted.

EUROPEAN CAUTIONED

Mrs. Griffin, of the Cosmopolitan Docks, was cautioned by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for parking her car, No. 569, near a bus stop, outside the Valateria Laundry, Nathan Road, near Hankow Road, at 12.25 p.m. on June 13.

Sub-inspector S. C. Saunders prosecuted.

Serious Accident Due
To Deficient Brakes.

Summoned before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for driving his car while the brake was not in sufficient order, and for allowing his car to be driven when the brake was not in good order, Lam Yu-ping, driver of private car No. 708, was not asked to plead.

Traffic Inspector Nicol said that accused hit a man in Queen's Road, Central, with his car. The man is now in hospital, suffering from a broken spine, in a serious condition and that it is feared that he may die.

The case was adjourned for seven days.

Dangerous Driver Fails
To Stop.

Fines totalling \$30, in default one month's imprisonment, was imposed on Sung Koon-fook, driver of public car No. 428, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for dangerous driving and for failing to stop. He was cautioned on the summons for soliciting for passengers in front of the Tai Ping Theatre.

Kong Ying, driver of public car No. 177, was also fined \$20, in default three weeks' imprisonment, for soliciting for passengers and for failing to stop, in front of the Tai Ping Theatre.

Mrs. H. Sandas, of the Mercantile Bank, was cautioned by Mr. E.

To-day's Short Story.

FOR ART'S
SAKEBy Nancy
Hale.

THE life class at Art School used to begin at nine and go on working till one, with five-minute rests for the model every half-hour, and a long rest at eleven o'clock, when the girls would go down to the lunch-room on the ground floor and eat the pimento-cheese sandwiches they brought with them from home, or else buy Hershey bars at the little art store in the front hall of the school, and eat them.

The men used to go out on the sidewalk outside the school and smoke, or throw a baseball around. When it got too cold for that, they got together in groups in the hallways and talked in low voices about Mr. Merritt, the life class instructor, whom nobody liked. The men never mixed with the girls in the long rest, and neither the men nor the girls ever stayed in the life studio for that half-hour. If anyone did go back for a minute to get something, the model was always huddling in the corner by the radiator, like a sick dog.

It was queer to see how in Art School, as in any other school, the class split itself quickly into those old divisions, the leaders with a lot of personality, the bright ones who worked hard and didn't sing or talk while the model was posing, and the queer ones.

The queerest one was called Gladys Crane. She had been drawing in that life class for four years, and she hadn't learned how to start a figure yet. Students were supposed to stay in life for two years, and then go on to the lower painting class. Gladys had been there all that time, and the trustees let her stay because she didn't do any harm and because when they talked to her, tactfully, about choosing some other line of work than art, she went into such a terrible fit of hysterics that they thought they might as well let her stay, since she wanted to, and paid the tuition.

CHINESE STABBED
IN NAGASAKI.Strong Representations
Demanded.

A strong representation to the Japanese authority in Nagasaki, is demanded by the Overseas Chinese Association in Nanking, over the case of Yip Mok-fa, a Chinese student, who was stabbed to death by Japanese on May 24, in Nagasaki.

Since the case became known, Chinese groups have expressed strong feeling. This feeling has been renewed since the finding of Mr. Kuramoto, the Japanese Vice-Consul, who was reported missing earlier this month.

HUSBAND RESCUES WIFE FROM
WATERY GRAVE

Wong Ho, a Chinese married woman, of No. 219 Jervois Road, ground floor, was removed to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday, suffering from body injuries after attempting to commit suicide by jumping on to the rocks at low tide off Fleming Road. She was rescued by her husband, who trailed her to the water's edge.

Canton-Kowloon Railway Director
Faces Bitter Criticism

(Continued from page 1.)

The Provincial Department of Reconstruction, which appointed Hu to the post, is investigating the charges brought against the railway director. Should the charges were confirmed, Mr. Hu Tung-chao will probably still hold his post until negotiations with the Kowloon section for a revision of the agreement are completed.

As the dissatisfied workers have also sent an appeal to the Ministry of Railways, Mr. Hu Tung-chao, the Ministry desires to regain control of this line, instead of allowing it to be placed under the control of the Kwangtung authorities.

But what she drew would make your blood run cold. Once she drew the model without any neck, and when Anne Grant, who was one of the brilliant students, and kind, too, explained to her that the way she had drawn the figure was wrong, so that she could change it before Mr. Merritt came to give the Thursday criticism, Gladys couldn't understand that it was wrong; apparently she couldn't see the difference between Anne's strong, accurate drawing and her own, and she wouldn't change it; she only looked at Anne with her locked-up, mute-looking face and shook her head.

TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be "Crack of Whips," by H. A. Manhood.

When Mr. Merritt saw that twisted, smudgy drawing without any neck, he only said, "I think you must have made a mistake in the measurements of that figure, Miss Crane."

He was very gentle, as he always was to her, and passed on to the next case. He had been teaching her in that class for four years, while she went right on putting huge, grotesque heads on top of little bodies, and making the hands and the ears the same size, and he must have known that there was no use in telling her anything at all, any more.

The ones with personality, the leaders, weren't ever the good students, and the more Mr. Merritt worked over them, the more they hated him. He would come in to begin criticism at half-past nine on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, looking very small and unpressed and tired. The room where the class worked was a big, high loft, with a north light, and a skylight that was kept covered by a shade; the easels were set around in a wide, crowded semicircle.

All the men wore blue cotton smocks over their vests and trousers, and the girls wore blue or yellow or pink or orange cotton smocks; the men always worked standing up, but some of the girls used stools to sit on. The model sat or stood on a stand in the middle of the semi-circle, nude and a little blue, keeping still as a rock, as those professional models did.

When the half-hour was over, the model, usually an ugly baggy woman, or a big Italian with hair growing down his chest and stomach, or one of the old men whose muscles were practically obscured by flabby flesh, would instantly grab up a wrapper and go and sit in the corner by the radiator, all huddled up.

They always kept their own time, with a watch lying on the floor of the model stand; most of the students were very ardent workers and didn't believe in giving the models so many rests, and once when there was a thin French girl for a model, who had no watch, and Gilbert Fisher kept time instead, they kept her standing for an hour and five minutes, and then she fainted. So the models kept their own time.

On Tuesday and Thursday mornings, when Mr. Merritt came in, it was always very quiet. All you could hear was the squeaky sawing of sharpened charcoal against paper. The door behind the screen that kept the draught from the model would open, and close; then Mr. Merritt would come around the screen, and say "Good morning" in a low voice. The convention was that nobody ever said "Good morning" back, but a few of the girls, who had talent and got along with Mr. Merritt, would look up and smile.

He always stopped for a moment near the door, and looked the scene over; he would look at the model, and generally he would have some fault to find with the pose. "Can't you get her into a more interesting pose?" he used to ask the room in general. "I don't blame you if you don't get anything good out of that; there isn't any action in it."

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AERIAL DEFENCE FOR CANTON

(Continued from page 1.)

Lieut.-General Wong Kwong-yui, head of the Canton Air Force, accompanied by his aides, is shortly to return from a tour of the United States and Europe. He will bring back about 50 planes, consisting of fighters, pursuit, scouts, and bombers. In addition the consignment includes anti-aircraft guns, sound detectors, search lights, etc.

Who the potential enemy is remains unknown. There is talk of Japanese menace, but this appears unduly exaggerated, since Japan is quite satisfied to have Manchuria and a sphere of influence in North China.

Nanking is also increasing its air force, and a mission headed by Colonel Miao Peng-cho is to leave on tour of the United States and Europe sometime this week.

NEW BANK CALL IN
UNITED STATESSPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1914, Received June 29, 1.24 a.m.)

Washington, To-day.

The United States Comptroller of Currency is expected to issue a call on the condition of national banks before the week-end.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

TORONTO MAN ELECTED TO
HIGH SHRINE OFFICE

Minneapolis, Minn., June 30.

Morley F. Mackenzie, of Toronto, was elected Outer Guard of the Imperial Divan of the order of the Mystic Shrine when Dana S. Williams, of Lewiston, Maine, was elevated to be Imperial potentate of the order by the confell.—Associated Press.

PRESIDENT REVIEWS
N.R.A. CAMPAIGN

(Continued From Page 1.)

CONGRESS WORK REVIEWED

The President, in concluding, reviewed the work of Congress and declared that the most important measures enacted were the changes in the monetary system, establishing standards adequate for modern life and doing justice to both gold and silver as bases for United States currency. — Reuter.

MISS PERKINS FAILS

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
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Washington, To-day.

President Roosevelt has named a three-man board to arbitrate the steel industry controversy, indicating that the efforts of Miss Frances Perkins the Secretary of Labour, are fruitless.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

RUSSIA URGES GERMANY TO
JOIN EASTERN EUROPE PACT

Berlin, June 19.

An official spokesman of the government to-day confirmed reports that Russia had urged Germany to join an eastern European pact, comprising Germany, Russia, Czechoslovakia, Poland and the Baltic States, with a guarantee from France.—Associated Press.

EARTHQUAKES ENTOMB
MINERS IN GERMANY

Deutscher, Germany, June 20.

Earthquakes in upper Silesia at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening entombed seven miners in the Kartensprung pit. Walls of the houses in the town nearby were cracked.—Associated Press.

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AMERICA'S TRADE BALANCE

May Exports Show Big Decline On April.

IMPORTS UP 6 PER CENT.

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1884. Received June 28, 9.40 a.m.)

Washington, To-day.
The United States Department of Commerce places America's export for May at U.S.\$160,207,000, which is 11 per cent. below April.

Imports totalled U.S.\$154,647,000, which is 6 per cent. above April.

Exports in May, 1933, totalled U.S.\$114,203,000 and imports U.S.\$106,869,000.

Sugar imported from the Philippines was valued at U.S.\$15,622,000, as compared with U.S.\$12,858,000 in April.

Crude rubber imports increased substantially throughout the month, largely due to higher prices. Wood pulp and tin imports gained while coffee and unmanufactured wool declined.—Reuter.

AID FOR BRITISH SHIPPING.

Limited Subsidies For Certain Routes.

London, To-day.

While the main feature of the Government scheme to help British shipping is the granting of financial guarantees for the construction of new merchant ships on the condition that three old vessels are scrapped for every new one, it is learned that there are also proposals for limited subsidising of merchant ships which are competing against specially heavy foreign subsidies.—Reuter.

NEW EMPIRE FOOD SHIP.

Vessel Launched At Belfast.

London, To-day.

The motor vessel, "Walpawa," 10,760 tons, the second of the two Empire food ships which Messrs. Harland and Wolff are building for the Shaw, Savill and Albion Company, was launched at Belfast yesterday.

The vessel will be engaged between London and New Zealand, via the Panama Canal.—British Wireless Service.

LEGALITY OF \$60,000,000 LOAN TO CUBA QUESTIONED

Havana, June 19.

A Cuban committee is investigating the legality of approximately \$60,000,000 of American loans contracted by the Machado regime. The government has been advised against paying on them.—Associated Press.

A Chinese, named Lee Yuk-tong, described to be insane, was drowned yesterday, during the ss. Tin Yat's voyage from Canton to Hong Kong. He suddenly jumped overboard from the stern.

DARROW BOARD NOW TO DISBAND

Third Report On "Blue Eagle" Practices Before Roosevelt

Washington, To-day.
The third instalment of Mr. Clarence Darrow's report on the "Blue Eagle" practices and the N.R.A. Codes, has been completed and forwarded to President Roosevelt. The Darrow Board has finished its work and will now disband. Mr. Darrow has resigned.—Reuter.

GENERAL HO CHEN IN HONG KONG

To See Mr. Hu Han-min To-day.

General Ho Chien, Chairman of the Hunan Provincial Government and Commander-in-Chief of the provincial forces, arrived in the Colony from Canton, at 5 o'clock this morning by special train.

As Chairman of the Hunan Provincial Government and commanding officer of the provincial forces, General Ho Chien holds the balance of power between the Central Authorities and the South-west provinces. Hunan has been the cockpit in past civil wars between the North and South.

The Hunanese General told Chinese pressmen upon his arrival here this morning, that he will see Mr. Hu Han-min, reformed Kuomintang leader, to-day.

GENERAL SIEH LEAVES

General Sieh Yueh, Commander of the 6th Route Bandit Suppression Army, who arrived in the Colony late last night after a visit to Canton, left for Nanking at noon to-day, by the Empress of Canada.

General Sieh who is a personal representative of General Chiang Kai-shek, has been in conference with southern leaders during General Ho Chien's, Chairman of the Hunan Provincial Government, visit to Canton.

When interviewed by Chinese pressmen last night, the General refused to reveal any political opinion.

BRIGHTER TONE ON WALL STREET.

Increased Interest In Commodities.

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
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New York, To-day.
Wall Street traders are more optimistic, despite the dullness of the market.

Favourable factors are the reported increased interest in commodities and the possibility of a liquor tax cut in order to eliminate bootleggers.

Unfavourable factors are bearishness in certain groups toward steels and motors, and the strike situation.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

OTUS LEAVES HONG KONG

H.M. Submarine Otus left Hong Kong yesterday for Wei-hei-wel to join the China Fleet which is stationed there. Two submarines, Osiris and Oswald, are expected to arrive this afternoon from Wei-hei-wel.

FOREIGN COIN INTEREST

U.S. Utility Concern's New Ruling.

BONDS MUST BE PROVED

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
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San Francisco, To-day.
The Pacific Gas and Electric Company has announced that it will pay the interest on its bonds in foreign coin currency only to foreign holders who can prove that the bonds have actually been owned and held abroad continuously since May 1, 1934, in order to protect against domestic holders, who may send coupons abroad for obtaining payment in foreign currency equivalent to the face amount of gold coin of the former standard, thereby evading the law.

Domestic holders will be paid in the lawful money of the United States.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

THE REV. SOWERBY PASSES.

Baptist Missionary In China.

London, To-day.

The death occurred at Cambridge yesterday of the Rev. Arthur Sowerby who, for 40 years, was a Baptist missionary in China.—Reuter.

Mr. Arthur Sowerby, F.R.G.S., F.Z.S., the well-known traveller and authority on China, who is at present in Shanghai, is a son of the late Rev. Sowerby.

ANOTHER WINDFALL FOR EXCHEQUER.

£1,180,000 From Lord Tredegar.

London, To-day.

The will was published yesterday of Lord Tredegar, who left £2,369,685 in settled and unsettled estate. The amount of estate duty payable to the Treasury thereon is about £1,180,000.—British Wireless Service.

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